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54th-56th 1923-1925 Allegheny County



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Fifty-Fourth Annual Report
of the Managers of the
Allegheny County Workhouse
and Inebriate Asylum

COMPLIMENTS OF

A. H. LESLIE,

SUPERINTENDENT.

For the Year 1923
PENNSYLVANIA



ILLUSTRATIONS

Allegheny County Workhouse	Frontispiece
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OBITUARY

"It is with sincere sorrow we record
the death of Gustav Edward Krieg, the
first Clerk of the Allegheny County Work
House and Inebriate Asylum, who died
December 20, 1923. Mr. Krieg served as
Clerk from March 22, 1879 to June 30,
1922."

ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE

Railroad and Express Office
PARKVIEW, WEST PENN'A R. R.
Eight miles north of Allegheny Station

Post Office
BLAWNOX, ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENN'A

Long Distance Bell Telephone { 0124 Sterling
{ 52 Oakmont

OFFICERS

BOARD OF MANAGERS

JOHN A. BELL, Carnegie.....	.....	.....
SAMUEL R. KELLY, Pittsburgh .....	.....	V
W. J. ZAHNISER, Pittsburgh .....	.....	.....
CAMERON C. SMITH, Pittsburgh		
WILLIAM S. LINDERMAN, Pittsburg		
A. H. LESLIE.....	.....	.....
REV. WM. M. BUZZA.....	.....	.....
L. T. MITCHELL, M. D. ....	.....	.....
ROBERT R. CHALMERS.....	.....	.....
COLONIAL TRUST CO., Pittsburgh.....	.....	.....

MANAGERS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE

From the Beginning

*George R. White.....	1866 to 1874	*Wm. Hill	1888 to 1891
*George Albree	1866 to 1873	John A. Bell	1891
*Robert H. Davis.....	1866 to 1867	Hugh Kennedy	1895 to 1902
*Hugh S. Fleming.....	1866 to 1870	*John Way, Jr.	1895 to 1902
*Felix R. Brunot.....	1866 to **	*W. E. Harrison.....	1896 to 1903
*Wm. S. Bissell.....	1866 to 1871	*W. H. Seif	1900 to 1903
*James Kelly	1867 to 1879	*George A. Chalfant....	1902 to 1904
*J. P. Fleming.....	1870 to 1878	*Charles Donnelly	1903 to 1903
*W. J. Anderson	1872 to 1873	*John W. Crawford	1903 to 1909
*Richard Hays.....	1874 to 1875	*John F. Steel.....	1903 to 1917
*Hugh McNeill	1874 to 1886	*Thomas B. Riter	1903 to 1907
*C. J. Schultz	1875 to 1879	*Charles Donnelly	1904 to 1906
*G. W. Hailman.....	1875 to 1878	*W. H. Seif	1907 to 1911
*J. W. Shaw.....	1878 to 1881	W. C. Tibby	1907 to 1910
*D. C. White.....	1879 to 1880	W. J. Zahniser.....	1909
*Hugh S. Fleming.....	1879 to 1887	*Jos. T. Nevin	1910 to 1919
*John Moorhead	1880 to **	W. C. Tibby.....	1911 to 1912
*John Birmingham	1881 to 1885	Samuel R. Kelly.....	1912
*August Ammon	1881 to 1888	A. H. Willet.....	1917 to 1918
*Addison Lysle	1881 to 1894	Walter A. Dearth.....	1919 to 1921
*W. A. Magee.....	1886 to 1899	*W. H. Seif	1919 to 1921
*C. G. Donnell.....	1887 to 1895	Cameron C. Smith.....	1921
C. C. Hax.....	1888 to 1894	WilliamS. Linderman	1921

**These dates are not on record.

*Deceased.

LIST OF SUPERINTENDENTS

*John McDonald	1867 to 1875	*William Hill	1891 to 1896
*Henry Cordier	1870 to 1877	*Thomas P. Fleeson.....	1896 to 1897
*John L. Kennedy.....	1877 to 1881	*William Hill	1897 to 1904
*Henry Warner	1882 to 1891	A. H. Leslie.....	1904

*Deceased.

MANAGER'S REPORT

Blawnox, Pa., December
TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF MANAGERS

ALLEGHENY PRISONS, PITTSBURGH, PA.:

Gentlemen:—

We herewith respectfully submit the Fifty-Fourth Annual Report of the Allegheny County Workhouse, together with special reports of the Superintendent, Chaplain, Physician, Farmer, for the year ending December 31, 1923.

Respectfully,

JOHN A. BEL

W. J. ZAHNISER, Secretary.

SUPERINTENDENT'S
REPORT
1923



SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Blawnox, Pa., December 31, 1923.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE
ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE AND INEBRIATE
ASYLUM:

Gentlemen:

I herewith beg to submit the Fifty-fourth Annual Report of the Allegheny County Workhouse and Inebriate Asylum, for the year ending December 31, 1923.

Attached hereto and made a part of the report, are the financial exhibit, operations of the industrial departments, statistical tables, reports from the chaplain, the medical department and the farm deputy, and you are referred thereto for detailed information.

In connection with the new water reservoirs, we have installed and completed a pressure tank, a water pump operated by an electric motor which supplies the farm buildings with water under sixty pound pressure. This, together with the installation of the electric lights in the barns and other buildings, will very materially reduce any fire hazard in these buildings.

The Female Cell Block is nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy the first of this year. This is an addition to the female wing which is laid out in the dormitory style and was completed last year. This cell block is to be used mainly for those inmates that abuse the privilege of living in the dormitories, and with the hope it will be a sufficient deterrent to prevent any misconduct. It contains thirty-two cells and is of the same general construction as the male cell blocks being lined with white enamel brick. Each cell is supplied with toilet, wash basin, bed seat and table.

I give you below in condensed form the movements of the population for the year, the cash balances on hand, the daily average population, and the average daily cost of each inmate:

Number of prisoners in confinement December 31, 1923.....
 Number of prisoners received from January 1, 1923
 December 31, 1923.....

Discharged by expiration of sentence.....
 Discharged by commutation of sentence.....
 Discharged by order of court.....
 Discharged by parole.....
 Escaped without recapture.....
 Died

Removed to hospital for insane.....

Number in confinement December 31, 1923
 The financial report shows the total receipts, including balance carried over from last year to be

The total expenditures were.....
 Balance on hand December 31, 1923.....
 The earnings from all sources were.....
 The daily average population was.....
 The daily average cost of each inmate was.....
 The daily average cost of each inmate after deducting earnings was.....

The number of days board furnished prisoners during 1923 were.....

As a matter of information we herewith attach a statement showing the commitments of the various offenses past four years.

	1919	1920	1921
Assault and Battery.....	45	19	34
Aggravated Assault and Battery.....	35	13	31
Felonious Assault and Battery.....	60	46	64
Being a Common Prostitute.....	79	13	21
Disorderly Conduct	384	167	232
Drunkenness	161	28	77
Larceny, etc.	230	285	177
Non-Support	74	12	56
Suspicious Person	1,131	900	1,206
Vagrancy	635	322	823
Violating Liquor Laws	594	208	635
Miscellaneous			
	3,428	2,013	3,356

The total number of days work performed by the inmates during the year was:

In shops and factories.....	103,996
In engine rooms, boiler and pump station.....	7,047
In library, cells, bath, barber shop, kitchen, tailor shops and laundry.....	42,837
In garden, greenhouse and farm.....	8,723
In hauling coal and about prison.....	11,883
In labor hired out.....	209
Teams on farm.....	1,569
Teams on coal, etc., other than building material.....	1,248
On female cell block—new:	
Common labor	5,282
Employees and skilled labor.....	1,190
In residence, sewing and knitting rooms, female.....	9,490
Total days work of inmates.....	190,657
Total days unemployed of inmates, including Sundays and legal holidays, and unemployment of inmates physically and mentally unfit to perform manual labor	87,263
Average number of inmates employed per day.....	635
Average number of inmates unemployed per day, con- sisting of inmates physically and mentally unfit to perform manual labor.....	126

In conclusion I wish to extend my thanks to the Board of Managers, and also to the Officers and Employees, for a very successful year. Without their counsel and hearty co-operation the success attained would have been impossible.

Respectfully submitted,

A. H. LESLIE, Superintendent.

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COMPARATIVE STATISTICS FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS—TABLE A.

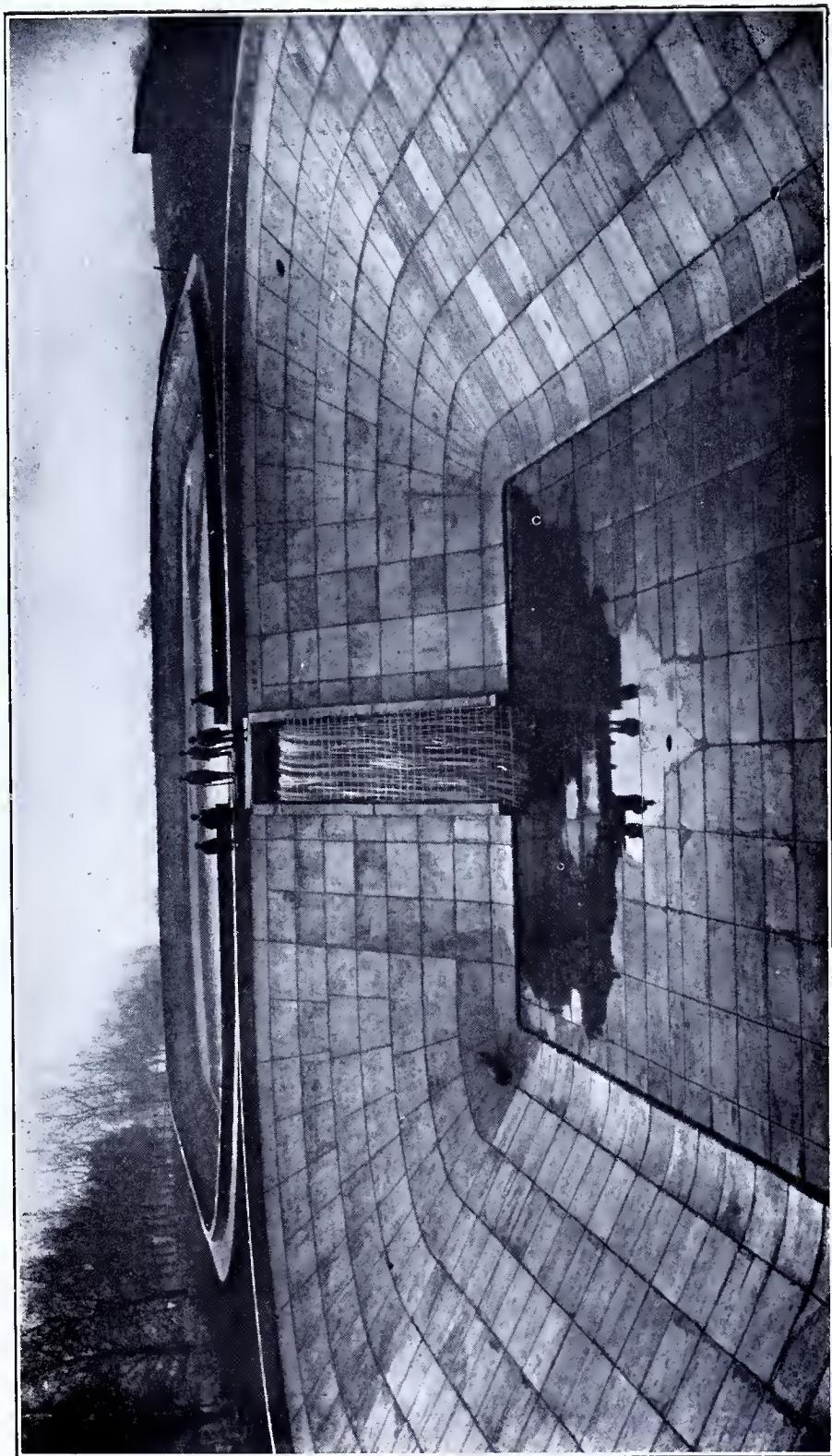
YEAR	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	Average for ten years 1914-1923
Number of day's board furnished prisoners . .	314,232	315,182	262,345	307,913	263,703	265,503	157,757	265,100	272,391	277,920	270,204
Daily average of inmates	860	868	716	843	722	727	431	726	746	761	740
Daily average cost of each inmate.....	\$.5110	\$.5010	\$.5669	\$.7014	\$.8140	\$.9214	\$ 1.38	\$.9743	\$.8186	\$.885	.807
Earnings from labor or business with outside parties.....	\$ 94,794	\$ 94,166	\$ 111,290	\$ 155,255	\$ 130,516	\$ 168,110	\$ 180,308	\$ 119,784	\$ 173,606	\$ 194,265	\$ 142,209
Daily average cost per inmate, deducting earnings .....	.2093	.2057	.1427	.1972	.3191	.2882	.2311	.5224	.1813	.1861	.2483
Gratuities to prisoners	\$ 500.75	\$ 741.70	\$ 580.75	\$ 522.65	\$ 557.07	\$ 157.55	\$ 195.50	\$ 398.35	\$ 1,089.53	\$ 721.00	\$ 546.48
Outside work done by prisoners.....	\$ 182.20	\$ 646.46	\$ 161.40	\$ 1,594.54	\$ 1,057.92	\$ 2,923.82	\$ 1,386.97	\$ 733.32	\$ 661.24	\$ 437.60	\$ 981.48
Earnings by overwork of prisoners	\$ 670.89	\$ 1,495.19	\$ 951.36	\$ 1,056.40	\$ 1,402.64	\$ 1,430.36	\$ 1,806.19	\$ 1,753.45	\$ 1,102.79	\$ 833.13	\$ 1,250.24

SOURCES OF INCOME AND AMOUNTS RECEIVED FOR LAST TEN YEARS—TABLE B.

YEAR	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	Average for ten years 1914-1923
Farm and Garden	\$ 8,748	\$ 11,815	\$ 13,713	\$ 14,754	\$ 12,818	\$ 18,168	\$ 16,549	\$ 10,149	\$ 9,731	\$ 11,250	\$ 12,769.50
Brushes	2,701	1,918	1,718	4,263	3,551	4,763	4,433	4,953	385	— 1,387	2,729.80
Brooms	15,779	17,298	23,786	48,233	32,178	40,218	52,563	364	29,464	31,101	29,098
Carpets	3,790	2,022	6,110	2,028	8,036	5,282	3,069	1,654	1,365	7,979	4,133
Chairs	13,957	2,441	19,231	24,406	15,137	36,542	50,255	34,223	36,145	32,661	26,499
Boarding Prisoners	44,216	52,941	36,269	49,030	44,525	46,664	33,942	53,136	79,678	87,382	52,778
Blacksmith Shop	71	78	76	69	122	116	76	58	35	70	77
Shoe and Tailor Shop	1,382	867	972	1,214	774	719	719	480	407	418	795
Laundry	616	534	753	485	480	375	30	2,117	3,164	1,342	989

**FINANCIAL
REPORT
1923**

WORKHOUSE RESERVOIR



STATEMENT
of the
CASH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
of the
ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE

From January 1st., to December 31st., 1923, both dates inclusive.

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand January 1st., 1923.....	\$246,899.34
Cash received from County Treasurer, special appropriation for construction and improvements.....	25,000.00
Cash received from County Commissioners of Allegheny County refund-amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to L. M. Fagan, Probation Officer.....	2,507.70
Cash received from County Commissioners of Beaver County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to C. A. Moore, Probation Officer.....	398.45
Cash received from County Commissioners of Armstrong County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to W. C. McGregor, Probation Officer.....	47.45
Cash received from County Commissioners of Clarion County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to L. F. Weaver, Probation Officer.....	13.00
Cash received from County Commissioners of Fayette County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to C. W. Baer, Probation Officer.....	629.20
Cash received from County Commissioners of Mercer County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to Rev. T. K. Thompson, Probation Officer	588.90
Cash received from County Commissioners of Jefferson County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to B. E. Irwin, Probation Officer.....	187.20
Cash received from County Commissioners of Somerset County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to C. I. Knepper, Probation Officer.....	23.40

Cash received from County Commissioners of Butler County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to J. F. Leetch, Probation Officer.....	243.10
Cash received from interest on daily balances.....	7,501.24
Cash received from other counties for maintenance of prisoners	81,744.65
From hired labor of prisoners and employees.....	437.00
From blacksmithing, horse shoeing, gas fitting, etc.....	69.67
From laundry work.....	4,659.10
From officers and notary fees.....	82.40
From freight, telephone charges and R. R. fares refunded.....	1,897.28
From interest on notes and accounts.....	431.35
From refund of insurance and fire losses.....	7,024.45
From refund from cement sacks returned.....	477.21
From refund for tank.....	40.00
From refund account of damaged flour.....	276.85
From refund account salaries.....	4.35
From sale of natural gas and coal.....	1,173.59
From sale of lumber, lime, cement, etc.....	21.78
From sale of scrap metal, rags, old barrels and brick	195.00
From sale of pipe, glass, paint, etc.....	60.35
From sale of live stock.....	1,702.80
From sale of provisions and kraut.....	287.76
From sale of farm products and flowers.....	11,250.09
From sale of screens and repairs by carpenter.....	150.54
From sale of shoes and repairing shoes and clothing.....	418.65
From sale of brooms.....	94,216.21
From sale of fibre furniture.....	73,472.77
From sale of rag carpet and rugs.....	23,035.61
From sale of shoe and scrub brushes	10,475.24
From sale of steam heat.....	1,594.42
From contents of contribution box.....	87.68
	\$599,325.78

EXPENDITURES

EXTRAORDINARY

Modernizing cell room of female department:	
For material and labor.....	\$17,138.77
Modernizing female department:	
For material and labor.....	697.51
Equipment of female department	1,908.07
New factory building. Material.....	8,242.00
Farm power and water line, material.....	1,036.88
New bath in residence, material and labor.....	1,407.22
New water wells, material and labor.....	2,215.75 \$ 32,646.20

CURRENT EXPENSES

For broom corn and other material and expenses.....	51,377.58
For freight paid on material and manufactured brooms.....	3,126.85
For wages of employees in broom factory.....	2,377.21
For overwork paid prisoners for making brooms.....	486.98

For bristles, tampico, rice root, blocks, etc.....	3,067.36
For freight paid on same.....	56.89
For cotton and woolen warp, new carpet rags, etc.....	12,503.93
For freight paid on same.....	96.64
For wages of employees of carpet factory.....	1,958.73
For materials for laundry.....	2,230.66
For wages of employees in laundry.....	2,334.87
For dowels, rattan, paper varnish, etc. for chair factory.....	38,541.36
For freight paid on same.....	4,864.50
For wages of employees of chair factory.....	2,492.75
For overwork paid prisoners making chairs.....	346.15
For miscellaneous machinery.....	1,095.00
For chauffeurs license.....	10.03
For general freight, express, R. R. tickets, etc.....	2,961.56
For gratuities given prisoners.....	721.00
For salaries and wages.....	109,429.20
Traveling expenses	276.29
Boiler and water inspection.....	300.00
Telephone tolls and telegraphing.....	329.35
For library, stationery, postage, etc.....	1,792.66
For expense conveying and capturing escaped prisoners.....	28.20
For fire insurance.....	1,762.64
For general repairs of buildings, machinery, etc.....	25,034.76
For brushes, spectacles and combs.....	119.70
For benzine, gasoline and lamp oil.....	1,086.28
For farm tools, seeds and fertilizers.....	6,562.95
For live stock.....	125.00
For hardware and tools.....	697.22
For coal and gas.....	51,291.37
For photographing materials.....	61.99
For drugs and medicines.....	2,023.24
For clothing and bedding.....	5,887.72
For material used in power loom department.....	2,169.58
For expense account of fire loss.....	1,261.01
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Allegheny County.....	2,391.35
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Beaver County.....	571.35
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Armstrong County.....	31.20
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Clarion County.....	11.70
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Fayette County.....	579.80
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Jefferson County.....	72.80
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Mercer County.....	588.90
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Somerset County.....	18.20
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Butler County.....	245.05
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Erie County.....	20.15
For water rent.....	169.67
For shoes, leather and findings.....	3,559.55
For flour	10,751.16
For beef and fish.....	7,224.39
For groceries and provisions.....	6,052.02
For feed for horses, cows, etc.....	4,296.50
Cash in hands of treasurer.....	\$200,664.80
Cash and checks in office.....	1,564.48
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	\$202,229.28
Less warrants outstanding.....	13,022.70
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	\$599,325.78



**STATEMENT
of the
OPERATIONS OF THE SEVERAL BUSINESS
DEPARTMENTS**

BROOM FACTORY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1st, 1923.....	\$ 52,047.65
To cash paid on account of stock during the year and other expenses.....	\$54,504.43
Less amount due on same for 1922.....	2,424.07
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To wages paid employees.....	2,377.21
To earnings of prisoners for overwork.....	486.98
To amount yet due on purchase of materials.....	3,901.96
To material received from other departments.....	460.37
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	\$111,354.53

Cr.

By cash received for brooms sold.....	\$94,216.21
Less accounts for 1922.....	6,154.71
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	88,061.50
By stock on hand January 1st., 1924.....	47,241.09
By accounts of 1923 uncollected.....	6,429.08
By brooms used at work house during 1923.....	724.97
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Amount to credit of broom factory.....	\$ 31,102.11

BRUSH FACTORY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1st., 1923.....	\$11,487.86
To cash paid on account of stock during year.....	\$ 3,124.25
Less amount due on same for 1922.....	66.24 3,058.01
	—————
	\$14,545.87

Cr.

By cash received for brushes sold.....	\$10,475.24
Less accounts for 1922.....	454.72
	—————
	\$10,020.52
By stock on hand January 1st., 1924.....	3,042.52
By accounts of 1923 uncollected.....	95.53 13,158.57
	—————
Balance to debit of brush factory.....	\$ 1,387.30

CARPET FACTORY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1st., 1923.....	\$14,553.06
To cash paid on account of stock during the year and expenses	\$12,600.57
Less amount due on same for 1922.....	2,406.47
	10,194.10
To wages paid employee.....	1,958.73
To amount due on material purchased.....	1.55
	\$26,707.44

Cr.

By cash received for carpets.....	\$23,035.61
Less accounts for 1922.....	2,333.16
	\$20,702.45
By stock on hand January 1st., 1924.....	11,738.46
By accounts of 1923 uncollected.....	2,246.42
	34,687.33
Balance to credit carpet shop.....	\$ 7,979.89

CHAIR FACTORY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1st, 1923.....	\$ 74,739.75
To cash paid on account of stock during the year and other expenses.....	\$43,405.86
Less amount due on same for 1922.....	1,291.64
	42,114.22
To wages paid employees.....	2,492.75
To earnings of prisoners for overwork.....	346.15
Amount yet due on material purchased.....	1,035.95
	\$120,728.82

Cr.

By cash received for chairs.....	\$73,472.77
Less accounts for 1922.....	7,025.84
	66,446.93
By stock on hand January 1st, 1924.....	76,898.48
Accounts of 1923 uncollected.....	9,482.98
Material furnished other departments.....	562.10
	153,390.49
Balance to credit of chair factory.....	\$ 32,661.67

LAUNDRY

Dr.

To cash paid on account of stock during the year and other expenses.....	\$2,230.66	\$2,230.66
Amount due on material purchased.....	46.87	
Material received from other departments.....	24.48	
To wages paid employees.....	2,334.87	
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		\$4,636.88

Cr.

By cash received for laundry work.....	\$4,659.10	
By stock on hand January 1st., 1924.....	604.98	
By accounts of 1923 uncollected.....	714.90	5,978.98
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Balance to credit of laundry.....		\$1,342.10

OTHER COUNTIES FOR BOARDING PRISONERS

Cash received from other counties having agreements with the Allegheny County Work House for boarding prisoners	\$81,744.65
Less accounts of 1922.....	36,256.55

	\$45,488.10
Accounts for 1923 uncollected.....	41,894.25

Revenue from this source for 1923.....	\$87,382.35

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS OF REVENUE

Refund on account of damaged flour.....	\$ 276.85
Received from hired labor of prisoners.....	437.00
Received from blacksmithing and gasfitting.....	69.67
Received from officers and notary fees.....	82.40
Received from railroad fares and telephone tolls refunded.....	1,897.28
Received from interest on daily balances.....	7,501.24
Received from interest on notes and accounts.....	431.35
Received from contents of contribution box.....	87.68
Received from refund of insurance and fire loss.....	7,024.45
Received from sole of farm products, plants, etc.	11,250.09
Received from sale of live stock.....	1,702.80
Received from sale of provisions and kraut.....	287.76
Received from sale of shoes and repairing.....	418.65
Received from sale of scrap metal, rags, old brick, barrels....	195.00
Received from sale of coal and gas.....	1,173.59
Received from screens and other articles and repairs made by carpenter	150.54
Received from sale of steam heat.....	1,594.42
Received from sundry articles consisting mainly of such as are charged to general expense account.....	603.69
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	\$35,184.46

RECAPITULATION OF BUSINESS REVENUE

From broom factory.....	\$ 31,102.11
From carpet factory.....	7,979.89
From chair factory.....	32,661.67
From laundry	1,342.10
From other counties for boarding prisoners.....	87,382.35
From miscellaneous items.....	35,184.46

	\$195,652.58
Less brush shop deficit.....	1,387.30

	\$194,265.28

SUMMARY

The expenses of the institution for the year ending December 31, 1923 were:

For food consumed.....	\$ 24,027.57
For clothing and bedding in use and consumed.....	11,616.85
For salaries	109,429.20
For repairs and insurance.....	28,058.41
For other expenses.....	72,853.01

	\$245,985.04

The number of days board furnished prisoners during 1923 were	277,920
The daily average of inmates was.....	761 155/365
The daily average cost of each inmate was.....	88.50 cents
The earnings from labor and business of the institution conducted with outside parties were.....	\$194,265.28
The daily average cost of each inmate after deducting earnings was	18.61 cents

GENERAL STATEMENT

	Dr.	Cr.
REAL ESTATE		
Consisting of farm, buildings, and general improvements as per last report.....	\$2,184,087.46	
Additions and betterments dur- ing 1923:		
Modernizing old cell room, designated female depart- ment:		
For material	\$197.51	
For hired labor	500.00	697.51
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Total cost of this improvement to date:		
For cash expended.....	\$193,469.86	
Labor furnished	21,457.66	
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	\$214,937.52	
New female cell block:		
Material	\$9,755.43	
Hired labor	7,383.34	17,138.77
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In addition there is to be charged to this improve- ment:		
For 3907 days prison labor at \$1.00.....	\$3,907.00	
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New factory building:		
Material	8,242.00	
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In addition there is to be charged to this improve- ment:		
For 350 days prison labor	\$350.00	

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
Farm power and water line:		
Material	1,036.88	
New water wells:		
Material and labor.....	2,215.75	
New bath room in residence:		
Material	\$991.95	
Hired labor	415.27	1,407.22
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	\$2,214,825.59	
Increase in valuation.....		\$ 30,738.13
Equipment-female department:		
Per last report.....	1,442.84	
Addition during 1923.....	1,820.89	
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	\$ 3,263.73	
Increase		\$ 1,820.89
MACHINERY AND BOILER		
As per last report.....	41,698.47	
Filter	\$1,020.00	
Shear (blacksmith)	75.00	1,095.00
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	\$ 42,793.47	
Less depreciation 10%.....	4,279.35	
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	\$ 38,514.12	
Decrease in valuation.....		\$ 3,184.35
LIVE STOCK		
Last valuation	\$ 10,757.00	
Present valuation	12,179.00	
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Increase		\$ 1,422.00

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
VEHICLES, TWO AND FOUR WHEELED		
Last valuation	\$ 5,270.00	
Present valuation	<u>7,827.00</u>	
Increase in valuation.....		\$ 2,557.00
BUILDING MATERIAL		
Last valuation	\$ 3,634.86	
Present valuation	<u>1,696.80</u>	
Decrease in valuation.....		\$ 1,938.06
MISCELLANEOUS STOCK		
Of goods in store for the general use of the prison which have not been in use:		
Last valuation	\$50,399.17	
Present valuation:		
Lime, coal and cement	\$13,275.20	
Paint and glass, etc.....	1,500.07	
Material for use of plumber, blacksmith	3,595.26	
Dry, goods, clothing, shoes	11,582.80	
Brushes, combs and stationery	1,301.69	
Hardware	1,308.62	
Oats, hay and straw.....	8,276.99	
Flour, groceries, pro- visions	7,160.50	
Drugs and medicines..	600.00	
Power-loom depart- ment	1,776.45	50,377.58
Decrease		\$ 21.59

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN BROOM FACTORY		
Last valuation	\$ 52,047.65	
Present valuation	47,241.09	
Decrease in valuation.....	\$ 4,806.56	
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN BRUSH FACTORY		
Last valuation	\$11,487.86	
Present valuation	3,045.25	
Decrease in valuation.....	\$ 8,442.61	
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN CARPET FACTORY		
Last valuation	\$14,553.06	
Present valuation	11,738.46	
Decrease in valuation.....	\$ 2,814.60	
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN CHAIR FACTORY		
Last valuation	\$74,739.75	
Present valuation	76,898.48	
Increase in valuation.....	\$ 2,158.73	
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN LAUNDRY		
Present valuation	\$ 604.98	
	\$ 604.98	

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
BOOK ACCOUNTS DUE THE WORK HOUSE		
Last report	\$52,381.49	
For brooms	\$6,408.34	
For brushes	88.28	
For carpets	2,246.42	
For chairs	9,392.38	
For laundry	714.90	
For maintenance of prisoners	41,894.25	
Sundry items	15.00	60,759.57
Increase in valuation.....		\$ 8,378.08
BOOK ACCOUNTS DUE BY THE WORK HOUSE		
Last report	\$13,295.77	
On account broom factory	\$3,901.96	
On account brush factory		
On account carpet factory	1.55	
On account chair factory	1,035.95	
On account miscellane- ous stock	5,780.30	10,719.76
Decrease in valuation.....		\$ 2,576.01
BILLS RECEIVABLE ON HAND		
Last report	\$ 212.32	
On hand	71.50	
Decrease in valuation.....	\$	140.82

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
RECEIVED FROM TREASURER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY		
For construction and betterment	\$ 25,000.00	
Received from interest on daily balances	\$ 7,501.24	
Received on account fire loss, brush shop building.....	\$ 6,662.68	
CASH ON HAND		
Last report	\$246,899.34	
On hand at this date:		
On account general maintenance .....\$171,564.36		
On account special appropriation 17,642.22 189,206.58		
Decrease	\$ 57,692.76	
Balance deficiency, which repre- sents the amount over and above all earnings which was needed for the maintenance of the workhouse for the year 1923	\$ 67,949.45	
	\$ 118,205.27	\$ 118,205.27

APPENDIX

Appropriation for 1923—Construction and betterments.

Balance on hand January 1, 1923.....	\$25,288.42
Received for the year 1923.....	25,000.00
	\$50,288.42

EXPENDED

For modernizing female department.....	\$ 697.51
For new cell block, female department.....	17,138.77
For new factory building.....	8,242.00
For farm power and water line.....	1,036.88
For new bath.....	1,407.22
For new water wells.....	2,215.75
For equipment, female department.....	1,908.07
	\$32,646.20
Balance on hand.....	\$17,642.22

FARM.

The Workhouse farm during the season of 1923 produced:

12 tons of early cabbage	225 bushels of onions
64 tons of late cabbage	151 bushels of peas
2,900 bushels of potatoes	60 bushels of table carrots
1,180 bushels of sweet corn	350 bushels of green onions
3,000 bushels of field corn	50 bushels of pickles
1,540 bushels of wheat	10 bushels of peppers
200 bushels of barley	35 bushels of parsley
635 bushels of rye	150 bushels of spinach
970 bushels of oats	435 bushels of green beans
85 tons of hay	270 bushels of parsnips
100 tons of straw	9 bushels of egg plant
50 tons of alfalfa	2,008 heads of celery
7,040 dozens of eggs	6 bushels of cauliflower
3,396 pounds of butter	340 dozens of sweet corn
3,565 gallons of milk	1,135 heads of lettuce
1,700 gallons of skim milk	90 bushels of leeks
402 quarts of cream	150 bushels of asparagus
605 gallons of buttermilk	200 bushels of rhubarb
3,060 pounds of veal	42 bushels of lima beans
25,850 pounds of pork	5 bushels of sun flower seeds
1,280 pounds of chicken	25 bushels of radishes
88 tons of ensilage	15 bushels of squash
3 barrels of vinegar	400 heads of cabbage
105 pounds of duck	25 bushels of leaf lettuce
675 bushels of tomatoes	90 bushels of green tomatoes
6 squabs	24 bushels of cucumbers
200 bushels of turnips	30 bushels of rutabager
150 bushels of kohlrabi	8 bushels of strawberries
55 bushels of table beets	

STATISTICS
1923

I

STATISTICS FOR 1923

Number in confinement December 31, 1922.....	671
Number received during 1923.....	3,342
	—
	4,013

OF THE ABOVE THERE WERE

Discharged by expiration sentence.....	2,421
Discharged by order of court.....	350
Discharged by commutation of time.....	171
Discharged by governor's pardon.....	0
Discharged by parole.....	209
Escaped without recapture	5
Died	6
Removed to hospital for insane	3
	—
	3,165

LEAVING IN CONFINEMENT DECEMBER 31, 1923

Males, white	378
Males, colored	445 823
	—
Females, white	15
Females, colored	10 25
	—
	848

II

THE NUMBER RECEIVED EACH MONTH WAS

	Males	Females	Total
January	255	23	278
February	256	8	264
March	237	15	252
April	254	10	264
May	249	7	256
June	248	10	258
July	268	5	273
August	238	12	250
September	231	10	241
October	289	9	298
November	365	2	367
December	336	5	341
	—	—	—
	3,226	116	3,342

III

THE NUMBER IN CONFINEMENT AT END OF EACH
MONTH WAS

	Males	Females	Total
January	676	38	714
February	709	34	743
March	684	43	727
April	701	41	742
May	710	37	747
June	721	34	755
July	740	31	771
August	728	35	763
September	682	35	717
October	736	32	768
November	851	26	877
December	823	25	848

IV

OF THE 3,342 PRISONERS RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR THERE WAS COMMITTED BY

By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Allegheny County	12
By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Fayette County	0
By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Beaver County	2
By County Court of Allegheny County	15
By County Court of Armstrong County	1
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Allegheny County	350
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Fayette County	184
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Westmoreland County	33
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Lawrence County	72
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Erie County	27
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Washington County	68
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Indiana County	4
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Beaver County	33
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Jefferson County	11
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Armstrong County	25
By Court of Quarter Sessions, McKean County	0
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Butler County	36
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Crawford County	18
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Mercer County	33
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Clarion County	9
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Greene County	4
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Warren County	5
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Venango County	5
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Blair County	5
By Court of Quarter Sessions, Somerset County	12
By A. O. Richards, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	319
By P. J. Sullivan, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	484
By E. M. Hough, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	133
By P. F. Gallagher, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	308
By J. Ralph Park, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	4
By Bertram L. Succop, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	157
By Ralph E. Smith, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	135
By Tensard DeWolf, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	149
By Justice of Peace, Allegheny County	433
By Justice of Peace, Mercer County	19
By Justice of Peace, Washington County	5
By Justice of Peace, Fayette County	231
By Justice of Peace, Venango County	1

3,342

V

CRIME OR OFFENSE

Abusing family	35	Entering building to com-	
Adultery	5	mit felony	23
Arson	1	Entering railroad car to	
Assault	2	commit felony	2
Assault indecent	3	False pretense	7
Assault felonious	4	Forgery	8
Assault and pointing fire arms		Fornication and adultery ..	5
Assault and battery.....	2	Fornication and bastardy..	8
Assault and battery, ag- gravated	32	Felonious shooting and	
Assault and battery, fe- lonious		cutting	3
Assault and battery, intent to rape	40	Fraudulently making and	
Assault and battery, intent to kill		uttering writ	2
Bigamy	56	Fraudulently making and	
Burglary		uttering usurious inst....	2
Being a professional theif..	8	Gambling	3
Being a common prostitute		Habitual drunkard	5
Breaking and entering building	2	Inebriate	1
Carrying concealed weapons	6	Incestuous fornication	1
Conspiracy	4	Involuntary manslaughter ..	4
Counterfeiting	1	Keeping bawdy house	11
Disorderly conduct	7	Keeping disorderly house..	13
Drunkenness		Keeping gambling house....	1
Drunkenness and disorder- ly conduct	14	Larceny	78
Desertion and non-support		Larceny from person	15
Embezzlement	89	Larceny by bailee	2
Extortion	2	Larceny and receiving	
Entering building and larceny	5	stolen goods	36
	291	Lewdness	9
	289	Malicious mischief	1
		Mayhem	1
	33	Misdemeanor	37
	2	Neglecting family	1
	5	Non-support	29
	1	Perjury	2
	7	Pointing fire arms.....	9

CRIME OR OFFENSE—Continued

Personating an officer	3	Selling liquor unlawfully	
Prostituting children	2	and manufacturing	351
Pandering	10	Sodomy	2
Rape	11	Trespass	4
Rape, felonious	1	Vagrancy	534
Robbery	20	Violating city or borough ordinance	237
Robbery and receiving stolen goods	13	Visiting disorderly house...	18
Receiving stolen goods.....	1	Voluntary manslaughter	2
Rape and adultery.....	1	Violation of auto law.....	15
Suspicious persons	841	Violating drug act.....	11
			3,342

OCCUPATION

Agent	2	Dairyman	1
Actor	2	Draftsman	1
Auto repair	52	Dentist	2
Architect	1	Engineer	12
Actress	1	Electrician	19
Butler	1	Elevator operator	1
Broommaker	2	Enameler	1
Blacksmith	21	Fireman	103
Boilermaker	18	Farmer	60
Baker	19	Fur cutter	1
Brick layer	4	Florist	1
Bookkeeper	4	Glass worker	15
Bell boy	3	Gardener	6
Brakeman	16	Housework	113
Barber	48	Huckster	1
Butcher	14	Hammerman	1
Bootblack	1	Heater	1
Cook	109	Hotel-keeper	1
Carpenter	39	Iron worker	35
Clerk	33	Janitor	14
Chauffeur	109	Jeweler	1
Craneman	21	Laborer	1,525
Clothes presser	1	Laundry man	1
Coremaker	2	Lather	1
Contractor	1	Miner	194
Cigar-maker	3	Machinist	68
Candy-maker	3	Molder	28
Car inspector	1	Millwright	4
Conductor	1	Merchant	22
Car repairman	1	Musician	7
Chemist	1	Machinist-helper	6
Cabinet-maker	2	Mason-stone	1
Detective	1	Nurse	4
Driller	2	None	3
Druggist	3	Orderly	1

OCCUPATION—Continued

Oiler	1	Shoemaker	20
Porter	90	Switchman	5
Peddler	1	Sailor	7
Plumber	16	Seamstress	2
Printer	6	Signalman (R. R.).....	1
Plasterer	11	Stenographer	2
Pipe fitter	31	Saloon-keeper	2
Painter	72	Teamster	98
Paper hanger	3	Tinner	11
Puddler	5	Tailor	22
Potter	1	Tire-maker	2
Prop. pool room.....	1	Upholsterer	1
Pugilist	2	Undertaker	2
Presser	5	Waiter	73
Prop. restaurant	1	Welder	4
Rigger	4	Waitress	1
Roofer	2	Watchman	3
Rubber worker	1	Weaver	2
Riveter	5		—
Salesman	29		3,342

VII

SENTENCES FOR WHICH COMMITTED

30 days	1,686	2 years 7 months.....	1
60 days	462	2 years 8 months.....	1
75 days	1	3 years	2
90 days	255	3 years 6 months.....	1
180 days	1	4 years	4
2 months	10	4 years 2 months.....	2
3 months	65	5 years	1
4 months	59	Indeterminate	36
4 months 15 days.....	1	30 days-6 months.....	1
5 months	24	40 days-3 months.....	1
6 months	199	6 weeks-3 months.....	1
7 months	7	1 month-2 months.....	2
8 months	26	2 months-4 months	7
9 months	62	2 months-1 year.....	1
10 months	32	3 months-6 months	13
11 months	3	3 months-1 year.....	1
11 months 25 days	1	4 months-8 months	5
11 months 29 days.....	10	5 months-10 months	3
1 year	165	6 months-1 year	17
13 months	1	6 months-18 months	1
14 months	4	8 months-18 months	1
15 months	24	9 months-18 months	5
16 months	2	10 months-20 months	1
18 months	36	18 months-3 years	7
19 months	2	1 year-2 years.....	18
20 months	4	2 years-4 years.....	9
21 months	1	2½ years-5 years.....	1
22 months	2	1 year-3 years.....	2
23 months	2	2 yr.9mo.28da.-3yr.9mo.28da	1
2 years	32	1 year 5 months-3 years.....	1
2 years 2 months.....	1	3 years-6 years.....	2
2 years 4 months.....	9		
2 years 6 months.....	4		
			3,342

VIII

OF THE 3,342 RECEIVED THERE WERE COMMITTED

For the first time	2,357	For the twenty-first time ..	6
For the second time	472	For the twenty-second time ..	6
For the third time	166	For the twenty-third time..	3
For the fourth time	85	For the twenty-fourth time	3
For the fifth time	33	For the twenty-fifth time....	2
For the sixth time	36	For the twenty-sixth time..	3
For the seventh time	27	For the twenty-seventh	2
For the eighth time	17	For the twenty-eighth time	4
For the ninth time	12	For the twenty-ninth time..	1
For the tenth time	13	For the thirty-third time	2
For the eleventh time	13	For the thirty-fourth time..	1
For the twelfth time	14	For the thirty-sixth time	1
For the thirteenth time	13	For the thirty-seventh time	1
For the fourteenth time .. .	7	For the thirty-eighth time..	1
For the fifteenth time	4	For the thirty-ninth time....	1
For the sixteenth time	5	For the fortieth time	1
For the seventeenth time ..	7	Fifty times and over	4
For the eighteenth time ..	8		—
For the nineteenth time ..	5		3,342
For the twentieth time	6		

IX

NATIVITY

United States	2,536	Spain	2
Ireland	87	Mexico	32
Germany	13	Turkey	3
England	11	Africa	3
Austria	224	New Foundland	1
Italy	99	India	1
Scotland	14	Argentine	3
Russia	78	Servia	7
Wales	2	Egypt	1
Poland	97	Chile	1
Hungary	14	Finland	16
Canada	11	Armenia	3
France	4	Bulgaria	2
Switzerland	2	Syria	6
Sweden	10	Porto Rico	5
Greece	19	Albania	2
Denmark	1	Cuba	1
West Indies	5	Croatia	8
Belgium	3	Jamaica	1
Australia	1		—
Norway	2		3,342
Rumania	11		

X

AGE WHEN COMMITTED

Under 20 years of age.....	163
From 20 to 30 years.....	1,277
From 30 to 40 years.....	1,007
From 40 to 50 years.....	599
From 50 to 60 years.....	244
60 years and over.....	52
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	3,342

XI

PARENTAL RELATIONS

Parents living at 16 years.....	2,206
Father died before 16 years of age.....	310
Mother died before 16 years of age.....	189
Both parents died before 16 years of age.....	637
	—
	3,342

XII

EDUCATION

Could read and write.....	2,531
Could read but not write.....	327
Neither read nor write.....	484
	3,342

XIII

OF THE 484 THAT COULD NOT READ OR WRITE

WERE NATIVES OF

United States	216	Spain	1
Ireland	1	Central American	1
Austria	89	Mexico	19
Italy	32	Serbia	4
Russia	47	Finland	2
Poland	40	Assyria	4
Germany	2	Syria	2
Hungary	4	Porto Rico	2
France	2	Albania	1
Canada	1	Croatia	2
Greece	8	Africa	1
Rumania	2		—
Australia	1		484

XIV

HABITS OF LIFE

Abstinent	881
Moderate drinkers	358
Occasionally intemperate	1,448
Intemperate	646
Drug addict	9
	—
	3,342

XV

COLOR

White males	1,872
Colored males	1,354
White females	76
Colored females	40
	—
	3,342

XVI

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTIONS

Roman Catholic	1,403
Methodist	267
Baptist	1,233
Presbyterian	112
Lutherans	55
Episcopalian	30
Other denominations	122
No religious instructions.....	104
Jews	16
	—
	3,342

XVII

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

Not apprenticed	3,175
Apprenticed and absconded.....	4
Apprenticed	163
	—
	3,342

XVIII

INMATES OF THE WORKHOUSE DECEMBER 31, 1923

Native born males.....	650
Foreign born males.....	173 823
	—
Native born females.....	20
Foreign born females.....	5 25
	—
	848

XIX

THE 178 FOREIGN BORN INMATES WERE RESIDENT

OF PENNSYLVANIA

For 1 year and under	28	For 16 years and under.....	6
For 2 years and under.....	6	For 17 years and under.....	4
For 3 years and under.....	8	For 18 years and under.....	2
For 4 years and under.....	5	For 19 years and under.....	2
For 5 years and under.....	4	For 20 years and under.....	4
For 6 years and under.....	9	For 21 years and under.....	5
For 7 years and under.....	3	For 22 years and under.....	3
For 8 years and under.....	6	For 23 years and under.....	6
For 9 years and under.....	6	For 24 years and under.....	1
For 10 years and under.....	10	For 25 years and under.....	2
For 11 years and under.....	11	For 26 years and under.....	1
For 12 years and under.....	7	For 27 years and under.....	4
For 13 years and under.....	8	For 30 years and over.....	10
For 14 years and under.....	6		—
For 15 years and under.....	11		178

XX

OF THE 178 FOREIGN BORN INMATES THERE WERE

58 RESIDENT OF OTHER STATES BEFORE

COMING TO PENNSYLVANIA

For 1 year and under	7	For 15 years and under.....	2
For 2 years and under.....	11	For 17 years and under.....	1
For 3 years and under	6	For 18 years and under.....	1
For 4 years and under.....	.5	For 20 years and under.....	1
For 5 years and under.....	5	For 21 years and under.....	1
For 6 years and under.....	3	For 25 years and under.....	1
For 7 years and under.....	4	For 28 years and under.....	1
For 8 years and under.....	1	For 29 years and under	1
For 9 years and under.....	1	For 30 years and over.....	3
For 10 years and under.....	1		—
For 11 years and under.....	1		58
For 14 years and under.....	1		

XXI

TABLE SHOWING LOSS AND GAIN IN POUNDS, OF PRISONERS, DURING THEIR TERM OF IMPRISONMENT

	Time Imprisoned	Number Weighed	Increase	Decrease	Balance of Increase over Decrease	Average Increase over Decrease	Largest Single Increase	Largest Single Decrease
MALES								
Less than thirty days	276	899	142	757	2.74	16	7	
From thirty to ninety days	1,803	7,868	2,574	5,294	2.93	57	38	
From ninety days to six months	593	3,063	1,415	1,648	2.77	63	37	
From six months to two years and over	373	1,287	1,739	-452	-1.21	56	50	
Totals	3,045	13,117	5,870	7,247	2.38			
FEMALES								
Less than thirty days	8	27	1	26	3.25	10	1	
From thirty to ninety days	67	243	86	157	2.34	19	10	
From ninety days to six months	23	135	70	65	2.82	19	17	
From six months to two years and over	22	123	180	-57	-2.59	35	64	
Totals	120	528	337	191	1.59			

XXII

NUMBER OF DEATHS DURING THE YEAR

Pneumonia	1
Heart disease	1
Apoplexy	1
Hemorrhage	1
Nephritis	1
Pulmonary tuberculosis	1
	—
	6

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT
1923

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

TO THE HONORABLE, THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF
THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE AND
INEBRIATE ASYLUM.

Gentlemen :—

I, hereby submit to you my Tenth Annual Report as Chaplain of the Allegheny County Workhouse and Inebriate Asylum.

The routine work consists of censoring the incoming and outgoing mail; attending to items of personal business for the inmates, in conformity with the rules of the institution and upon grant of special permission; and private conversations with individuals upon subjects pertaining to the moral life; and trying by a kindly interest in them to awaken a new desire for right living. The chaplain occupies a position, not of an officer to enforce discipline, but of a friend and councilor. If the words of appreciation expressed by the inmates from time to time are to be credited, we have reason to believe that our efforts are not in vain in helping many in their determination to lead better lives.

The work of the chaplain may be considered under three general heads: Religious, Educational and Recreational.

RELIGIOUS DEPARTMENT

Every Sunday morning the chaplain delivers a sermon, in which by choice of topic, subject matter and methods of discussion, there is always kept in mind the peculiar needs of the audience, being careful to avoid distinctively sectarian or controversial subjects. Upon request of the individuals, an effort is made to supply each one with literature in which they may be especially interested or that bears upon their particular beliefs. A broad variety of religious literature is distributed every week. A special feature of the Sunday services has been a series of programs of sacred music on Sunday afternoon

which is given by church choirs and individual singers. These services are very much enjoyed by the inmates.

Mrs. H. P. Muteh has given very efficient service in conducting the prison choir. The music of the choir has been a very pleasant feature of the services.

Rev. Father P. M. Boyle has been very faithful in looking after the special interests of the Catholic inmates. Rollo H. McBride of the Parting of the Ways Home has made a number of addresses and presented the work of the home. Representatives of the Salvation Army held a service on Prison Sunday. From time to time other speakers have addressed the inmates.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT

The school under the direction of the chaplain has done some good work. The library continues to hold a prominent place as an educational factor. There has been gratifying evidence that the inmates are developing a taste for the better class of literature as seen in the fact of a larger distribution of the standard works. Many magazines and other periodicals are distributed.

RECREATIONAL DEPARTMENT

During the summer months the inmates engage in the various athletic sports on Saturday afternoon. On the Fourth of July a special vaudeville program was given by the inmates, and various sports were engaged in. During the winter months a series of moving pictures and concerts were given.

SPECIAL SERVICES

Washington's birthday.....Address by the Rev. P. J. Slonaker.
Memorial day.....Address by the Rev. B. F. Crawford.
Independence dayAddress by the Rev. W. J. Miller.
Thanksgiving day.....Address by the Rev. A. E. Yeager.
Christmas day.....Address by the Rev. W. R. Wigton.

In closing this report, I wish to thank the board of managers, the superintendent Mr. A. H. Leslie, and the officers for their co-operation in the work of the department.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. M. BUZZA,
Chaplain.

December 31, 1923.

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT
1923

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT

Blawnox, Pa., December 31, 1923.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF
THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE AND
INEBRIATE ASYLUM.

Gentlemen:

The following report of the medical department for the year ending December 31, 1923 and recommendations are respectfully submitted.

The general health of our inmates is of the same standard as in other years. We had no epidemics of contagious disease. With the increase in our negro population, we are having also an increase in venereal and tubercular diseases.

The number of drug addicts was less than in any other year of my service.

In our various factories, the common drinking cup is still in use. This is thoroughly unsanitary and should be replaced by the fountain. In other shops the old time wooden closet is in use. These should be replaced by more modern equipment. If impossible to make these improvements now, they should be in mind when the contemplated new factories are constructed.

The following tables and statistics are submitted as a part of this report.

SUMMARY OF CALLS BY MONTHS

	Male	Female	Surgical
January	890	70	48
February	809	72	41
March	1123	94	65
April	881	78	54
May	662	52	24
June	733	79	38

	Male	Female	Surgical
July	911	77	58
August	783	70	34
September	608	58	36
October	818	45	66
November	1,036	51	69
December	1,182	30	55
 Total	10,436	776	588 11,800

SUMMARY OF HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Number of patients in the hospital January 1, 1923.....	5
Number admitted during the year.....	99 104
 Number discharged during the year.....	87
Number died during the year.....	6
Remaining in the hospital.....	11 104

The causes of deaths, as determined by the coroner were as follows:

Valvular heart disease and nephritis.....	1
Broncho-pneumonia	1
Nephritis	1
Pulmonary tuberculosis	1
Acute hemorrhagic pneumonia—post influenzal	1
Apoplexy	1

CONDITIONS FOR WHICH PATIENTS WERE ADMITTED TO THE HOSPITAL

Pulmonary tuberculosis	15	Tertiary lues	1
Incipient tuberculosis	8	Malingerer	1
Bronchitis	6	Pulmonary syphilis	1
Acute alcoholism	5	Lobar pneumonia	1
Adenitis	4	Nurses	2
Appendicitis	4	Renal colic	2
Grippe	4	Apoplexy	1
Gastritis	4	Peritonitis	1
Rheumatism	3	Syphilitic rheumatism	1
Diet	4	Hemorrhoids	1
Broncho pneumonia	4	Incised wound of face	1
Asthma	3	Incised wound of neck	1
Valvular heart disease	2	Submaxillary fistula	1
Nephritis	2	Pyorrhoea	1
Abscess tonsilitis	2	Contusions due to falling	1
Epilepsy	2	Sprained ankle	1
Anaemia	1	Urethral stricture	1
Erysipelas	1	Miscarriage	1
Morphinism	1	Hip joint disease	1
Hiccough	2	Undiagnosed	1

SUMMARY OF DISPENSARY CALLS

Anorexia	12	Jaundice-catarrhal	1
Arthritis	20	Leucorrhoea	4
Asthma	13	Lumbago	63
Alcoholism	44	Laryngitis	7
Acne	20	Morphinism	2
Adenitis	1	Malaria	11
Back ache	527	Myalgia	30
Bronchitis	1,035	Menorrhagia	2
Cold	2,009	Mental	4
Constipation	3,330	Mumps	1
Coryza	19	Neuralgia	381
Conjunctivitis	17	Nervous	14
Cystitis	87	Night sweats	3
Debility	4	Otitis	3
Diarrhoea	111	Pulmonary hemorrhage ..	3
Epilepsy	12	Pleurodynia	69
Eczema	73	Pleurisy	3
Ear ache	20	Palpitation of heart	44
Gastralgia	3	Pharyngitis	4
Gonorrhoea	66	Rheumatism	357
Grippe	53	Scabies	4
Gastritis	216	Syphilis	111
Gingivitis	1	Surgical-minor	588
Head ache	1,265	Tinea pubis	53
Hemorrhoids	54	Tonsilitis	405
Hiccough	2	Torticollis	30
Intercostal neuralgia	3	Tooth ache	16
Indigestion	511	Vertigo	23
Insomnia	4	Valvular heart lesions	4
Ivy poisoning	9	Vaccinia	1

Respectfully,

L. T. MITCHELL.

FARM REPORT

1923

WORKHOUSE FARM BUILDINGS



FARM REPORT

December 31, 1923.

Mr. A. H. Leslie, Supt.:

Dear Sir:—

I hereby submit the following report of the farm for the year ending December 31, 1923.

Excessive rainfall during the entire season prevented us from harvesting hay to any appreciable extent and also hindered the proper cultivation of the crops.

The acreage of the various crops and the yield per acre were as follows:

Early cabbage	$\frac{3}{4}$ acre	16 tons to acre.
Late cabbage	9 acres	7 tons to acre.
Potatoes	35 acres	83 bus. to acre.
Sweet corn	15 acres	78 bus. to acre.
Field corn	62 acres	53 bus. to acre.
Wheat	58 acres	26 $\frac{1}{2}$ bus. to acre.
Rye	25 acres	18 bus. to acre.
Oats	32 acres	30 bus. to acre.
Alfalfa	20 acres	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons to acre.

The livestock on the farm December 31, 1923 was as follows:

16 work horses	20 brood sows
1 stallion	130 hogs
3 colts	101 shoats
34 cows	700 pullets
20 heifers	420 hens
2 heifer calves	60 cockerels
2 boars	19 ducks

To take care of the stock on the farm this year, it took one prisoner per day for every eight stock units.

In the case of the care of the land it took the labor of one prisoner per day for every 14.9 acres of cultivated land.

Fifty-two acres were sown to wheat this fall and twenty-seven acres were sown to rye.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL C. KINCAID,

Farm Mgr.

GENERAL STATISTICAL TABLES

GENERAL STATISTICAL TABLES

I

The number of prisoners received since the organization of
the workhouse, August 6, 1869, is..... 193,599

OF THE ABOVE THERE WERE

Discharged by expiration of sentence.....	172,101
Discharged by order of court.....	11,305
Discharged by commutation of time.....	6,748
Discharged by governer's pardon.....	193
Discharged by parole.....	1,445
Escaped without recapture.....	298
Died	456
Removed to hospital for insane.....	198
Removed to hospital for smallpox.....	7 192,751
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Leaving in confinement December 31, 1923, males.....	823
Leaving in confinement December 31, 1923, females.....	25 848

CRIME OR OFFENSE

II

Abandoning an infant.....	8	Attempt to commit	
Abducting a child.....	6	larceny	27
Abortion	9	Attempt to commit	
Abusing family	191	robbery	31
Accessory to burglary after the fact.....	4	Attempt to commit	
Accessory to murder after the fact.....	1	rape	51
Accessory to felony after fact	3	Attempt to procure	
Accessory after the fact ..	1	abortion	6
Adultery	450	Attempt to rescue.....	8
Aiding prisoner to escape	10	Attempt to poison.....	4
Appeal cases	15	Attempt to enter building	8
Arson	48	Attempt to break jail.....	5
Affray	5	Attempt to kill.....	8
Assault	200	Attempt to false pretense	3
Assault indecent	42	Attempt to sodomy and	
Assault felonious	190	buggery	9
Assault felonious and en- tering building	1	Attempt to arson.....	1
Assault and P. F. A.	57	Attempt to blow up	
Assault and battery	2,712	dwelling	2
Assault and battery, ag- gravated	1,469	Barratry	12
Assault and battery, fe- lonious	1	Bigamy	132
Assault and battery, intent to rape.....	258	Bigamy and perjury.....	2
Assault and battery, intent to rob.....	72	Blasphemy	1
Assault and battery, intent to kill.....	68	Buggery	3
Assault and battery, intent to maim.....	19	Bigamy, perjury and	
Assault and battery and larceny	3	adultery	1
Assault and battery and obstructing officer	13	Burglary	438
Assault and battery and C. C. W.	14	Being a professional	
Attempt to commit felony	22	thief	320
		Being a burglar.....	5
		Being a tramp.....	152
		Being a common pros- titute	2,010
		Being a nuisance.....	34
		Being a gambler.....	4
		Being a scold.....	1
		Breaking and entering	
		building	540
		Breaking and entering	
		railroad car	15
		Breaking prison	56
		Bribery	2
		Blackmail	5

CRIME OR OFFENSE—Continued

Carrying concealed weapons	1,065	Escape	145
Compounding crime	2	Extortion	25
Conspiracy	167	Enticing female child.....	20
Concealing death of child	5	Employing lady waiters.....	1
Corrupting a record	3	Entering building and larceny	492
Counterfeiting	15	Entering building to com- mit felony	780
Cruelty of wife.....	33	Entering railroad car to commit felony	168
Cruelty to children.....	188	Extortion and blackmail ..	1
Cruelty to animals.....	41	Escape and adultery.....	1
Cruelty and neglect	81	Felony	7
Cutting timber trees	1	False pretense	531
C. C. W. larceny and robbery	3	False pretense and larce- ny	10
Disorderly conduct	58,560	Forgery	286
Disorderly conduct and S. P.	71	Forgery and larceny.....	1
Disorderly conduct and resisting officer	20	Forgery and embezzle- ment	3
Disorderly conduct and being escaped prisoner	1	Forgery and extortion	2
Disorderly conduct and C. C. W.	4	Fornication	26
Disorderly conduct and vagrancy	117	Fornication and adultery	16
Disorderly conduct and beating wife	1	Fornication and bastardy	22
Drunkenness	11,867	Fast driving	16
Drunkenness and dis- orderly conduct	3,938	Fortune telling	5
Drunkenness and sus- picious person	68	Felonious shooting and cutting	39
Drunkenness and vagran- cy	484	Fraudulently secreting property	3
Drunkenness and lewd- ness	15	Fraudulently destroying will	1
Drunkenness, disorderly conduct and vagrancy ..	9	Fraudulently voting	3
Disturbing meetings	26	Fraudulently making and uttering writ	64
Defrauding boarding house keeper	35	Furnishing liquor unlaw- fully	20
Defrauding U. S. govern- ment	2	Fraudulently making and uttering usurious in- strument	7
Desertion	39	Fugitive from justice.....	1
Desertion and non-support	24	Gambling	301
Embezzlement	368	Horse stealing	67
		Habitual drunkard	69
		Inebriate	10
		Incestuous fornication ..	3

CRIME OR OFFENSE—Continued

Interfering with officer.....	239	Misdemeanor and bribery	2
Indecent exposure	354	Misdemeanor and perjury	1
Incorrigibility	7	Misdemeanor and adultery	1
Intent to burglary	1	Malicious cutting	1
Indecency	2	Neglecting family	35
Involuntary manslaughter	14	Negligence	1
Keeping bawdy house	444	Non-support	858
Keeping disorderly house	1,693	Obscenity	8
Keeping gambling house..	202	Perjury	64
Keeping gambling and disorderly house	2	Pointing fire arms.....	236
Keeping opium joint.....	3	Personating an officer.....	60
Larceny from person and robbery	15	Prize fighting	2
Larceny	5,330	Purchasing scrap from minor	1
Larceny from person	600	Prostituting children	4
Larceny by bailee	286	Pandering	36
Larceny and receiving stolen goods	3,238	Rape	135
Larceny and felony.....	7	Rape, felonious	111
Larceny and embezzle- ment	12	Robbery	319
Larceny and burglary.....	24	Robbery and receiving stolen goods	268
Larceny and adultery	1	Receiving stolen goods	577
Larceny and being es- caped prisoner	4	Riot	197
Larceny and suspicious person	1	Riot and malicious	20
Larceny and escape, and felonious assault	2	Riot and assault and battery	69
Larceny and breaking prison and malicious mischief	2	Resisting an officer.....	16
Larceny and carrying concealed weapons	2	Refusing to aid officer.....	6
Libel	13	Rescuing prisoners	8
Lewdness	126	Rape and adultery.....	6
Maintaining common nuisance	2	Suspicious persons	34,295
Malicious mischief	315	Selling liquor unlawfully and manufacturing	3,305
Malicious mischief and casting stones	19	Selling lottery tickets	37
Mahem	31	Selling diseased meat.....	2
Manslaughter	107	Seduction	45
Murder	31	Sodomy	45
Misdemeanor	534	Sodomy and bastardy.....	8
		Sodomy and buggery	63
		Sending threatening letters	7
		Surety of the peace.....	4
		Street walking	437
		Shooting to kill	10
		Shooting to maim	4

CRIME OR OFFENSE—Continued

Soliciting person to commit felony	8	Vagrancy and larceny.....	3
Selling cocaine	17	Violating city or borough ordinance	1,970
Trespass	228	Violation of public peace	15
Train jumping	18	Violation of public health	8
Threatening to kill.....	1	Violation of sepulchre	1
Unlawful wounding	452	Visiting disorderly house	2,550
Unlawful assembling	9	Visiting gambling house.....	87
Vagrancy	41,113	Visiting bawdy house.....	20
Vagrancy and suspicious person	174	Violation of parole	21
Vagrancy and being professional thief	16	Voluntary manslaughter	20
Vagrancy and malicious trespass	4	Violation of auto law.....	29
Vagrancy and assault and battery	2	Violating drug act.....	16
		Watch stuffing	1
		Wife beating	35

			193,599

III

SENTENCES FOR WHICH COMMITTED

12 hours	2	43 days	3
1 day	26	44 days	1
3 days	5	45 days	31
5 days	47	46 days	1
6 days	1	50 days	11
10 days	337	60 days	25,354
11 days	2	63 days	3
12 days	1	65 days	13
14 days	1	68 days	3
15 days	60	70 days	10
17 days	1	73 days	2
18 days	2	75 days	8
20 days	1,163	80 days	5
21 days	2	82 days	1
22 days	1	84 days	2
25 days	8	86 days	1
30 days	114,620	90 days	19,731
31 days	2	92 days	1
34 days	1	93 days	4
35 days	1	100 days	1
40 days	188	110 days	2
41 days	1	116 days	1
42 days	1	118 days	67

SENTENCES FOR WHICH COMMITTED—Continued

120 days	2	5 months 60 days	1
125 days	1	5 months 135 days	1
134 days	13	6 months	8,895
149 days	1	6 months 3 days	1
177 days	1	6 months 10 days	1
180 days	96	6 months 15 days	4
190 days	1	6 months 20 days	7
209 days	3	6 months 21 days	1
240 days	3	6 months 25 days	1
214 days	1	6 months 30 days	4
238 days	1	6 months 40 days	4
241 days	1	6 months 60 days	2
242 days	1	6 months 84 days	1
470 days	1	6 months 90 days	3
1 month	132	6 months 111 days	1
2 months	626	6 months 120 days	1
2 months 30 days	1	7 months	301
3 months	4,308	7 months 10 days	1
3 months 5 days	1	7 months 15 days	1
3 months 10 days	4	7 months 20 days	3
3 months 15 days	1	8 months	892
3 months 20 days	89	8 months 5 days	2
3 months 26 days	1	8 months 27 days	2
3 months 30 days	19	8 months 60 days	1
3 months 40 days	29	8 months 180 days	1
3 months 60 days	16	9 months	1,598
3 months 90 days	4	9 months 10 days	4
3 months 100 days	1	9 months 20 days	2
3 months 120 days	2	9 months 30 days	1
4 months	3,756	9 months 50 days	1
4 months 10 days	2	9 months 90 days	1
4 months 15 days	6	10 months	549
4 months 20 days	5	10 months 10 days	1
4 months 27 days	2	10 months 15 days	3
4 months 30 days	12	10 months 19 days	2
4 months 25 days	1	10 months 20 days	1
4 months 60 days	9	10 months 60 days	2
4 months 120 days	1	11 months	134
5 months	879	11 months 15 days	15
5 months 1 day	1	11 months 20 days	10
5 months 5 days	2	11 months 25 days	4
5 months 16 days	1	11 months 27 days	1
5 months 20 days	4	11 months 29 days	40
5 months 27 days	2	11 months 30 days	1
5 months 30 days	3	1 year	4,398
5 months 29 days	5	1 year 5 days	2

SENTENCES FOR WHICH COMMITTED—Continued

1 year 20 days	1	3 years	258
1 year 30 days	9	3 years 60 days	1
1 year 40 days	1	3 years 1 month	1
1 year 60 days	2	3 years 2 months	1
1 year 90 days	4	3 years 3 months	3
1 year 150 days	2	3 years 3 months 16 days	1
1 year 2 months 3 days	1	3 years 5 months 3 days	1
1 year 3 months 2 days	1	3 years 6 months	23
1 year 4 months 30 days	1	3 years 9 months	1
1 year 7 months 1 day	1	4 years	58
1 year 8 months 9 days	1	4 years 2 months	2
1 year 11 months 17 days	1	4 years 6 months	1
13 months	38	5 years	29
14 months	82	5 years 6 months	1
15 months	464	6 years	10
15 months 30 days	1	6 years 6 months	1
15 months 60 days	1	7 years	3
16 months	79	7 years 9 months 14 days	1
17 months	12	8 years	1
18 months	1,231	10 years	1
18 months 10 days	3	Indeterminate	874
18 months 30 days	2	30 days-6 months	1
19 months	14	40 days-3 months	1
20 months	65	6 weeks-3 months	1
20 months 14 days	1	1 month-2 months	2
21 months	51	2 months-4 months	7
21 months 20 days	1	2 months-1 year	1
22 months	16	3 months-6 months	13
22 months 13 days	1	3 months-1 year	1
23 months	3	4 months-8 months	5
2 years	1,214	5 months-10 months	3
2 years 60 days	2	6 months-1 year	17
2 years 1 month	1	6 months-18 months	1
2 years 1 month 27 days	1	8 months-18 months	1
2 years 2 months	9	9 months-18 months	5
2 years 3 months	26	10 months-20 months	1
2 years 4 months	19	18 months-3 years	7
2 years 4 months 10 days	1	1 year-2 years	18
2 years 5 months	4	2 years-4 years	9
2 years 5 months 17 days	1	2½ years-5 years	1
2 years 6 months	133	1 year-3 years	2
2 years 7 months	1	2 yr. 9 mo. 28 da.-3 yr. 9 mo.	
2 years 8 months	3	28 da.	1
2 years 9 months	5	1 year 3 months-3 years	1
2 years 9 months 10 days	1	3 years-6 years	2
2 years 10 months	2		
2 years 11 months	1		193,599

IV

OF THE 193,599 RECEIVED THERE WERE COMMITTED

For the first time	105,974	For the twenty-seventh	152
For the second time.....	31,655	For the twenty-eighth	148
For the third time	15,150	For the twenty-ninth time	133
For the fourth time	9,116	For the thirtieth time.....	132
For the fifth time.....	6,091	For the thirty-first time	126
For the sixth time	4,746	For the thirty-second time	106
For the seventh time.....	3,633	For the thirty-third time	95
For the eighth time.....	2,614	For the thirty-fourth time	88
For the ninth time.....	1,917	For the thirty-fifth time	85
For the tenth time.....	1,914	For the thirty-sixth time	72
For the eleventh time.....	1,142	For the thirty-seventh time	72
For the twelfth time.....	1,140	For the thirty-eighth time	71
For the thirteenth time	802	For the thirty-ninth time	67
For the fourteenth time	795	For the fortieth time	67
For the fifteenth time.....	783	For the forty-first time	61
For the sixteenth time	579	For the forty-second time	51
For the seventeenth time	475	For the forty-third time	48
For the eighteenth time	468	For the forty-fourth time	45
For the nineteenth time	426	For the forty-fifth time	39
For the twentieth time	423	For the forty-sixth time	38
For the twenty-first time	315	For the forty-seventh time	32
For the twenty-second	260	For the forty-eighth time	30
For the twenty-third time	235	For the forty-ninth time	28
For the twenty-fourth	234	50 times and over	502
For the twenty-fifth time	231		
For the twenty-sixth time	193		
			193,599

V

NATIVITY

United States	127,181	Turkey	63
Ireland	22,081	Africa	26
Germany	8,927	Arabia	22
England	7,449	Brazil	15
Austria	8,355	Isle of Man	8
Italy	3,823	Isle of Malta	6
Scotland	2,444	New Foundland	3
Russia	3,078	Portugal	10
Wales	1,702	India	7
Poland	2,133	Japan	4
Hungary	1,601	Argentine	7
Canada	1,241	Serbia	132
France	608	Egypt	9
Switzerland	486	Chile	2
Sweden	572	Finland	74
Greece	283	Armenia	12
Holland	85	U. S. of Columbia	1
Denmark	93	Bulgaria	32
West Indies	127	Algeria	6
Ocean	64	Phillipine Islands	1
Belgium	66	Unknown	45
Australia	62	Syria	23
Norway	73	Porto Rico	10
Rumania	110	Albania	6
Central America	36	Cuba	16
Spain	57	Croatia	11
East Indies	34	Jamaica	2
China	33		
Mexico	242		193,599

VI

AGE WHEN COMMITTED

Under 20 years of age.....	14,214
From 20 to 30 years.....	72,529
From 30 to 40 years.....	54,819
From 40 to 50 years.....	32,797
From 50 to 60 years.....	14,672
60 years and over.....	4,568
	193,599

VII

SOCIAL RELATIONS

Single	116,466
Married	63,680
Widower	8,460
Widow	4,993
	193,599

VIII

EDUCATION

Read and write.....	148,997
Read but not write.....	16,752
Neither read nor write.....	27,850
	193,599

IX

OF THE 27,850 WHO COULD NOT READ NOR WRITE

WERE NATIVES OF

United States	12,095	China	9
Ireland	4,499	Australia	4
Austria	3,625	Ocean	2
Italy	1,816	Spain	4
Russia	1,547	Central America	2
England	888	Mexico	73
Poland	986	U. S. of Columbia	1
Germany	539	Serbia	55
Hungary	552	Portugal	3
Wales	462	Unknown	12
Scotland	161	Bulgaria	4
France	92	Finland	5
Canada	91	Assyria	15
Greece	97	Syria	7
Switzerland	25	Porto Rico	4
Holland	23	Jerusalem	1
Arabia	20	Albania	3
Belgium	19	Cuba	1
Rumania	36	Croatia	4
Sweden	15	Africa	1
Turkey	16		
West Indies	28		27,850
East Indies	8		

X

HABITS OF LIFE

Abstinent	20,232
Moderate drinkers	56,349
Occasionally intemperate	83,565
Intemperate	33,432
Drug addict	21
	193,599

XI

COLOR

White males	140,219
Colored males	30,049
White females	18,993
Colored females	4,338
	193,599

XII

TOTAL NUMBER OF PRISONERS RECEIVED SINCE THE ORGANIZATION OF THE WORKHOUSE AND FROM WHAT LOCALITIES

Received from August 6, 1869, to December 31, 1922:

From Pittsburgh	153,786
From in Allegheny county.....	23,578
From other counties.....	12,893
	190,257

Received during 1923:

From Pittsburgh	1,689
From in Allegheny county.....	810
From other counties.....	843
	3,342
	193,599

XIII

NUMBER OF DEATHS SINCE THE ORGANIZATION OF THE WORKHOUSE

Tuberculosis	95	Hemoptysis	1
Pneumonia	83	Diabetes	1
Debility	28	Gastritis	1
Heart Disease	38	Opium Eating	1
Delirium Tremens	22	Inflammation of Bowels	1
Typhoid Fever	23	Vegetable Poisoning	1
Chronic Alcoholism	17	Operation on Neck.....	1
Suicide	16	Intussusception of Bowel.....	1
Epilepsy	9	Encorarditis	3
Dropsy	8	Bright's Disease	1
Asthma	9	Chronic Bronchitis	2
Phthisis	7	Catarrhal Enteritis	1
Apoplexy	10	Exhaustion from Morphine.....	2
Small Pox	6	Cellulitis	1
Hemorrhage	7	Meningitis	2
Accident	5	Anemia	1
Peritonitis	4	Cholosysitis	2
Nephritis	4	Poisoning	1
Syphilis	6	Aortic Aneurysm	1
Congestion of Brain.....	2	Cancer	1
Fracture of Skull	3	Carcinoma of Stomach	2
Convulsions	2	Leukimia	1
Cholera Morbus	2	Cirrhosis of Liver	2
Scarlet Fever	1	Arteriosclerosis	1
Cerebro Spinal Meningitis.....	1	Acute Indigestion	1
Erysipelas	2	Influenza	1
Tetanus	2	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	4
Emphysema	1	Lobar Pneumonia	1
Ovarian Tumer	1	Dilated Heart	2
Chronic Diorrhea and Ulcer- ation of Bowels.....	1		—
			456



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Fifty-Fifth Annual Report
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For the Year 1924
PENNSYLVANIA

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MANAGERS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE

From the Beginning

*George R. White.....	1866 to 1874	*Wm. Hill	1888 to 1891
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*W. J. Anderson	1872 to 1873	*John W. Crawford	1903 to 1909
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*J. W. Shaw.....	1878 to 1881	W. C. Tibby	1907 to 1910
*D. C. White.....	1879 to 1880	W. J. Zahniser.....	1909
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*John Birmingham	1881 to 1885	Samuel R. Kelly.....	1912
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*Addison Lysle	1881 to 1894	Walter A. Dearth.....	1919 to 1921
*W. A. Magee.....	1886 to 1899	*W. H. Seif	1919 to 1921
*C. G. Donnell.....	1887 to 1895	Cameron C. Smith.....	1921
C. C. Hax.....	1888 to 1894	William S. Linderman	1921

**These dates are not on record.

*Deceased.

LIST OF SUPERINTENDENTS

*John McDonald	1867 to 1875	*William Hill	1891 to 1896
*Henry Cordier	1870 to 1877	*Thomas P. Fleeson.....	1896 to 1897
*John L. Kennedy.....	1877 to 1881	*William Hill	1897 to 1904
*Henry Warner	1882 to 1891	A. H. Leslie.....	1904

*Deceased.

MANAGER'S REPORT

Blawnox, Pa., December 31, 1924.
TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE
ALLEGHENY PRISONS, PITTSBURGH, PA.:—

Gentlemen:—

We herewith respectfully submit the Fifty-fifth Annual Report of the Allegheny County Workhouse, together with the speelial reports of the Superintendent, Chaplain, Physieian and Farmer, for the year ending December 31, 1924.

Respeetfully,

JOHN A. BELL, President.

W. J. ZAHNISER, Seeretary.

SUPERINTENDENT'S
REPORT
1924



SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Blawnox, Pa., December 31, 1924.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE AND INEBRIATE ASYLUM:

Gentlemen:

I herewith beg to submit the Fifty-fifth Annual Report of the Allegheny County Workhouse and Inebriate Asylum, for the year ending December 31, 1924.

Attached hereto and made a part of the report, are the financial exhibit, operations of the industrial departments, statistical tables, reports from the chaplain, the medical department and the farm deputy, and you are referred thereto for detailed information.

Improvements made during the past year briefly are as follows:

To replace the building destroyed by fire March, 1922, used as a blacksmith, horse shoeing, plumbing, machine and tin shops on the first floor, and brush factory and a portion to needed additional room for broom shop.

The work of the above mentioned industries are distributed in various buildings, scattered and inconvenient. The original building was about 40x100 feet, the new building will be 70x100 feet, two story reinforced concrete; first class in every respect, costing, exclusive of prison labor, about \$45,000.

Attached to above described buildings will be an up-to-date incineration plant, capable of taking care of all garbage and waste product, at a cost of about \$4,500. There has also been erected a concrete wall on the river front as a protection to the institution's garden, about 225 feet long and about 18 feet high to the high water and harbor line, estimated cost about \$2,600, exclusive of prison labor. This wall and an additional wall, estimated about 150 feet as a further protection at another portion of the river front are absolutely necessary to protect and prevent the washing away of the river front of the property.

There has also been placed a fire water line from our big water basin a six inch pipe line and circled around the big frame barn adjacent and connecting building with fire plugs attached to the whole, to be operated by an electrically driven pump of sufficient power to throw water to the roof of the highest building.

In addition to the above in compliance with the Board's orders, we have taken down another section of the old shop

built sixty years or more ago. In making this change, a two-fold purpose is served. First, it removes a very dangerous fire hazard and gives much needed additional shop room, sanitary and well lighted.

Also, a constant pressure has been brought to bear to replace our present outgrown, antiquated, out of date hospital with a modern up-to-date hospital. It does seem this matter cannot longer be safely delayed.

The two frame dwellings and frame stable on the old Allegheny City Home property are without any fire protection. We are running a six-inch line from our twelve-inch fire line so as to connect with above mentioned buildings, with fire plugs attached, thereby giving fire protection, thus cutting off the city water tax on the same.

The average daily population was the largest in the history of the institution, to wit: 955. Of this number 79% was employed. The remainder largely was physically or mentally disqualified or unfit for labor of any sort. We are rapidly moving forward to a long term prison.

I give you below in condensed form the movements of the population for the year, the cash balances on hand, the daily average population, and the average daily cost of each inmate:

Number of prisoners in confinement December 31, 1923..... 848
Number of prisoners received from January 1, 1924 to

December 31, 1924, inclusive..... 4457
..... 5305

Discharged by expiration of sentence.....	3366
Discharged by order of court.....	499
Discharged by commutation of time.....	169
Discharged by governor's pardon.....	1
Discharged by parole.....	221
Escaped without recapture	4
Died	16
Removed to hospital for insane.....	6 4282

Number in confinement December 31, 1924..... 1023

The financial report shows the total receipts, including balance carried over from last year to be..... \$598,563.16

The total expenditures were..... 451,629.82

Balance on hand December 31, 1924..... 146,933.34

The earnings from all sources were..... 185,788.97

The daily average population was..... 955 63/365

The daily average cost of each inmate was..... .72.89

The daily average cost of each inmate after deducting earnings was

.19.75

The number of days board furnished prisoners during 1924 were..... 349,593

As a matter of information we herewith attach a comparative statement showing the committments of the various offenses for the past six years.

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924
Assault and Battery.....	45	19	34	37	32	36
Aggravated Assault and Battery.....	35	13	31	33	40	49
Felonious Assault and Battery.....	60	46	64	57	66	79
Being a Common Prostitute.....	79	13	21	5	7	4
Disorderly Conduct	384	167	232	251	291	649
Drunkenness	161	28	77	126	322	344
Larceny, etc.	230	285	177	153	131	177
Non-Support	74	12	56	54	32	81
Suspicious Person	1,131	900	1,206	685	841	1,283
Vagrancy	635	322	823	449	534	593
Violating Liquor Laws.....				298	351	477
Miscellaneous	594	208	635	689	695	685
	3,428	2,013	3,356	2,837	3,342	4,457

The total number of days work performed by the inmates during the year was:

In shops and factories.....	121,006
In engine rooms, boiler and pump station.....	7,539
In library, cells, bath, barber shop, kitchen, tailor shops and laundry	51,390
In garden, greenhouse and farm.....	11,120
In hauling coal, and about prison.....	8,824
In labor hired out.....	404
Teams on farm.....	2,056
Teams on coal, etc., other than building material.....	1,001
On female cell block—new:	
Common labor	570
Employees and skilled labor.....	53
On new shop:	
Common labor	11,243
Employees and skilled labor.....	2,963
Teams	65
New river wall, common labor.....	1,784
In residence, sewing and knitting rooms, female.....	10,528
Total days work of inmates.....	227,424
Total days unemployed of inmates, including Sundays and legal holidays, and unemployment of inmates physically and mentally unfit to perform manual labor	122,169
Average number of inmates employed per day.....	758
Average number of inmates unemployed per day, consisting of inmates physically and mentally unfit to perform manual labor	197

In conclusion I wish to extend my thanks to the Board of Managers, and also to the Officers and Employees, for a very successful year. Without their counsel and hearty co-operation the success attained would have been impossible.

Respectfully submitted,

A. H. LESLIE, Superintendent.

COMPARATIVE STATISTICS FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS—TABLE A.

YEAR	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	Average for ten years 1915-1924
Number of day's board furnished prisoners . . .	315,182	262,345	307,913	263,703	265,503	157,757	265,100	272,391	277,920	349,593	273,740
Daily average of inmates	868	716	843	722	727	431	726	746	761	955	749
Daily average cost of each inmate	\$.5010	\$.5669	\$.7014	\$.8140	\$.9214	\$ 1.38	\$.9743	\$.8186	\$.885	\$.7289	.8291
Earnings from labor or business with outside parties	\$ 94,166	\$ 111,290	\$ 155,255	\$ 130,516	\$ 168,110	\$ 180,308	\$ 119,784	\$ 173,606	\$ 194,265	\$ 185,789	\$ 151,308
Daily average cost per inmate, deducting earnings . . . . .	.2057	.1427	.1972	.3191	.2882	.2311	.5224	.1813	.1861	.1975	.2471
Gratuities to prisoners	\$ 741.70	\$ 580.75	\$ 522.65	\$ 557.07	\$ 157.55	\$ 195.50	\$ 398.35	\$ 1,089.53	\$ 721.00	\$ 1740.88	\$ 670.49
Outside work done by prisoners	\$ 646.46	\$ 161.40	\$ 1,594.54	\$ 1,057.92	\$ 2,923.82	\$ 1,386.97	\$ 763.32	\$ 661.24	\$ 437.00	\$ 631.87	\$ 1026.45
Earnings by overwork of prisoners	\$ 1,495.19	\$ 951.36	\$ 1,056.40	\$ 1,402.64	\$ 1,430.36	\$ 1,806.19	\$ 1,753.45	\$ 1,102.79	\$ 833.13	\$ 786.16	\$ 1,261.76

SOURCES OF INCOME AND AMOUNTS RECEIVED FOR LAST TEN YEARS—TABLE B.

YEAR	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	Average for ten years 1915-1924
Farm and Garden	\$ 11,815	\$ 13,713	\$ 14,754	\$ 12,818	\$ 18,168	\$ 16,549	\$ 10,149	\$ 9,731	\$ 11,250	\$ 11,285	\$ 13,023.00
Brushes	1,918	1,718	4,263	3,551	4,763	4,433	4,953	385	— 1,387	— 304	2,429.00
Brooms	17,298	23,786	48,233	32,178	40,218	52,563	364	29,464	31,101	30,095	30,530
Carpets	2,022	6,110	2,028	8,036	5,282	3,069	1,654	1,365	7,979	1,950	3,949
Chairs	2,441	19,231	24,406	15,137	36,542	50,255	34,223	36,145	32,661	28,091	27,913
Boarding Prisoners	52,941	36,269	49,030	44,525	46,664	33,942	53,136	79,678	87,382	96,287	57,985
Blacksmith Shop	78	76	69	122	116	76	58	35	70	24	72
Shoe and Tailor Shop	867	972	1,214	774	719	719	480	407	418	465	703
Laundry	534	753	485	480	375	30	2,117	3,164	1,342	1,756	1,103

**FINANCIAL
REPORT
1924**



INMATES GATHERING POTATOES

STATEMENT
of the
CASH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
of the
ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE

From January 1st., to December 31st., 1924, both dates inclusive

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand January 1st, 1924.....	\$189,206.58
Cash received from County Treasurer for improvements.....	35,000.00
Cash received from County Treasurer for general maintenance of prison for 1924.....	65,000.00
Cash received from County Commissioners of Allegheny County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to L. M. Fagan, probation officer.....	3,420.30
Cash received from County Commissioners of Beaver County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to C. A. Moore, probation officer.....	464.10
Cash received from County Commissioners of Clarion County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to Lloyd F. Weaver, probation officer.....	138.45
Cash received from County Commissioners of Fayette County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to Charles W. Baer, probation officer.....	638.95
Cash received from County Commissioners of Mercer County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to Rev. T. K. Thompson, probation officer.....	479.05
Cash received from County Commissioners of Jefferson County refund amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to Blake E. Irwin, probation officer.....	14.95
Cash received from County Commissioners of Somerset County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to Ira Friedline, probation officer.....	241.15
Cash received from County Commissioners of Erie County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to John P. Sullivan, probation officer.....	222.95
Cash received from County Commissioners of Butler County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to Dean D. Thompson, probation officer.....	519.35
Cash received for interest on daily balances.....	5,507.27
Cash received for refund account driver's license.....	8.00

Cash received from other counties for maintenance of their prisoners	85,552.35
Cash received from hired labor of prisoners and employees..	631.87
Cash received from blacksmithing, horse shoeing, gas fitting, etc.	24.75
Cash received from laundry work.....	8,409.12
From officers and notary fees.....	84.40
From freight, railroad fares and telephone charges refunded	1,992.00
From interest on notes and accounts.....	458.02
From refund on insurance accidents.....	364.40
From unclaimed money of prisoners.....	71.19
From refund for cement sacks returned.....	894.20
From refund ambulance charge, Mercer County.....	33.57
From sales of natural gas and coal.....	1,231.84
From sales of lumber, lime, cement, etc.	15.35
From sales of scrap metal, rags, old barrels and brick.....	888.08
From sales of pipe, glass, paint, etc.	68.23
From sales of live stock.....	2,696.28
From sales of provisions and kraut.....	561.90
From sales of farm products and flowers.....	8,589.12
From sales of screens and repairs by carpenter.....	252.87
From sales of shoes and repairing shoes and clothing.....	465.55
From sales of old horses.....	84.00
From sales of brooms.....	104,769.52
From sales of chairs.....	61,332.33
From sales of rag carpet and rugs	14,593.52
From sales of shoes and scrub brushes	642.04
From sale of steam heat.....	2,942.85
From contents of contribution box	11.97
From refund account lumber shortage in car.....	40.74
	\$598,563.16

EXPENDITURES

EXTRAORDINARY

New cell block, female department:	
For material and labor.....	\$ 6,472.04
New factory building, 1st section:	
For material and labor.....	44,761.69
New factory building, 2nd section:	
For material and labor	6,605.17
Account architect	2,000.00
New retaining wall at river:	
Material	2,529.44
Farm power line:	
Material	390.87
	\$ 62,759.21

CURRENT EXPENSES

For broom corn and other materials and expenses.....	\$ 59,959.63
For freight paid on material and manufactured brooms.....	5,517.90
For wages, employees broom factory.....	2,223.39
For overwork paid prisoners for making brooms.....	498.72
For cotton and woolen warp, new carpet rags, etc.	13,619.43

For freight paid on same.....	277.03
For wages, employees carpet factory.....	1,919.64
For dowels, rattan, paper, varnish, etc. for chair factory.....	23,108.60
For freight paid on same.....	1,291.43
For wages of employees, chair factory.....	2,249.37
For overwork paid prisoners for making chairs.....	287.44
For soap, and other materials in laundry.....	3,781.12
For wages of employees in laundry.....	2,400.00
For miscellaneous machinery.....	10,289.35
For chauffers license and notary commission.....	29.12
For general freight, express and R. R. tickets and fares.....	3,567.87
For gratuities given prisoners.....	1,740.88
For salaries and wages.....	122,270.04
Traveling expenses	986.82
Boiler and water inspection.....	300.00
For telephone tolls and telegraph.....	312.97
For library stationery, postage, etc.	3,036.16
For expense conveying and capturing escaped prisoners.....	126.84
For fire insurance.....	2,636.53
For general repairs to buildings and machinery.....	20,974.74
For brushes, spectacles and combs.....	47.52
For benzine, gasoline and lamp oil.....	885.30
For farm tools, seeds and fertilizer.....	9,889.64
For hardware and tools.....	115.04
For coal and gas.....	30,222.51
For photograph material.....	60.54
For drugs and medicines.....	2,617.89
For clothing and bedding.....	8,022.31
For vehicles	1,254.04
For dues, American Prison Association.....	30.00
For material used in power loom.....	4,767.19
For guns and ammunition	400.20
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Allegheny County	3,777.15
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Beaver County	295.75
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Armstrong County.....	14.30
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Clarion County.....	126.75
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Fayette County.....	692.90
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Jefferson County	176.15
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Mercer County	464.10
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Somerset County.....	266.50
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Butler County.....	550.55
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Erie County.....	202.80
For physicians service account Washington County.....	5.00
Ambulance service account Mercer County.....	33.57
For water rent.....	186.86
For shoes, leather and findings.....	4,761.15
For flour	16,861.13
For beef and fish.....	9,484.15
For groceries and provisions.....	8,060.60
For feed for horses, cows, etc.	1,194.00
Cash in hands of treasurer.....	\$163,499.00
Cash and checks in office.....	1,640.15
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	\$165,139.15
Less warrants outstanding.....	18,205.81
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	\$146,933.34
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	\$598,563.16

**STATEMENT
of the
OPERATIONS OF THE SEVERAL BUSINESS
DEPARTMENTS**

BROOM FACTORY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1st, 1924.....	\$ 47,241.09
To cash paid account stock purchased during the year and other expenses.....	\$65,477.53
Less amount due on same for 1923.....	<u>3,901.96</u>
	61,575.57
Wages paid employees.....	2,223.39
Earnings of prisoners overwork.....	498.72
Amount yet due on purchases of material.....	514.90
Material received from other departments.....	675.91
	<u>\$112,729.58</u>

Cr.

By cash received for brooms sold.....	\$104,769.52
Less accounts for 1923.....	6,429.08
	<u>\$ 98,340.44</u>
Stock on hand January 1, 1925.....	40,772.62
By account of 1924 uncollected.....	2,462.67
Brooms used at Workhouse, 1924.....	1,133.06
Rebate on freight on broom corn.....	116.70
	<u>142,825.49</u>
Amount to credit of broom factory.....	\$ 30,095.91

BRUSH FACTORY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1, 1924 \$3,042.52

Cr.

By cash received for brushes sold.....	\$ 642.04
Less accounts for 1923.....	95.53

	\$ 546.51
By stock on hand January 1st, 1925	2,121.00
By accounts of 1924 uncollected	63.15
Brushes used at the workhouse.....	7.50 2,738.16

Balance to debit of brush factory.....	\$ 304.36

CARPET FACTORY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1st, 1924.....	\$11,738.46
To cash paid on account of stock purchased during the year and other expenses.....	\$13,896.46
Less amount due, on same for year 1923.....	1.55
	13,894.91
To wages paid employees.....	1,919.64
To amount due on material purchased.....	4,442.20
	\$31,995.21

Cr.

By cash received for carpets and rugs.....	\$14,593.52
Less accounts for 1923	2,246.42
	\$12,347.10
By stock on hand January 1st, 1925.....	19,056.06
By accounts of 1924 uncollected.....	2,501.79
Carpet used in the workhouse.....	40.77
	\$33,945.72
Balance to credit of the carpet shop	\$ 1,950.51

CHAIR FACTORY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1st, 1924.....	\$ 76,898.48
To cash paid on account of stock during the year and other expenses.....	\$24,400.03
Less amount due on same for the year 1923.....	1,035.95 \$ 23,364.08
Wages paid employees.....	2,249.37
To earnings of prisoners for overwork.....	287.44
To amount yet due on material purchased.....	3,121.44
Material from other departments	11.27

	\$105,932.08

Cr.

By cash received for chairs.....	\$61,332.33
Less accounts for 1923.....	9,482.98

	\$51,849.35
By stock on hand January 1st, 1925.....	67,343.13
By accounts of 1924 uncollected.....	14,191.97
Material furnished other departments.....	639.52 \$134,023.97

Balance to the credit of the chair factory.....	\$ 28,091.89

LAUNDRY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1st, 1924.....	\$ 604.98
To cash paid on account of stock during the year and other expenses.....	\$3,781.12
Less amount due on same for 1923.....	46.87 \$3,734.25
Wages paid employees.....	2,400.00
To material received from other departments.....	69.60
Amount yet due on material purchased.....	28.37
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	\$6,837.20

Cr.

By cash received for laundry work.....	\$8,409.12
Less accounts for 1923.....	714.90
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	\$7,694.22
By stock on hand January 1st, 1925.....	702.96
By accounts for 1924 uncollected.....	153.75
Material used by workhouse	43.04 8,593.97
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Balance to credit of laundry.....	\$1,756.77

OTHER COUNTIES FOR BOARDING PRISONERS

Cash received from other counties having agreements with the Allegheny County Work House for boarding prisoners	\$85,552.35
Less accounts of 1923.....	41,894.25
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	\$43,658.10
Accounts for 1924 uncollected	52,629.70
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Revenue from this source for 1924.....	\$96,287.80

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS OF REVENUE

Received for hired labor of prisoners.....	\$ 631.87
Received from blacksmithing and gas fitting	24.75
Received from officers and notaries fees	84.40
Received from railroad fares and telephone tolls refunded.....	1,992.00
Received from interest on daily balances.....	5,507.27
Received from interest on notes and accounts.....	458.02
Received from contents of contribution box.....	11.97
Received from insurance	364.40
Received from sale of farm products, plants, etc.	8,589.12
Received from sale of live stock	2,696.28
Received from sale of provisions and kraut.....	561.90
Received from sale of shoes and repairing.....	465.55
Received from sale of scrap metal, rags, old bricks, barrels.....	888.08
Received from sale of coal and gas.....	1,231.84
Received from sale of screen and other articles, and repairs by carpenter	252.87
Received from sale of steam heat	2,942.85
Received from unclaimed money of prisoners.....	71.19
Received for refund account cement sacks	894.20
Received for refund ambulance charge Mercer County.....	33.57
Received from sale of old horses	84.00
Received from sale of sundry articles consisting mainly of such as are charged to general account.....	124.32
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	\$27,910.45

RECAPITULATION OF BUSINESS REVENUE

From broom factory.....	\$ 30,095.91
From carpet factory.....	1,950.51
From chair factory.....	28,091.89
From laundry	1,756.77
From other counties for boarding prisoners.....	96,287.80
From miscellaneous items.....	27,910.45
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	\$186,093.33
Brush shop deficit.....	304.36
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	\$185,788.97

SUMMARY

The expenses of the institution for the year ending December 31, 1924 were:	
For food consumed.....	\$ 34,405.88
For clothing and bedding in use and consumed.....	17,550.65
Salaries	122,270.04
Repairs and insurance	23,611.27
Other expenses	57,004.20
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	\$254,842.04
The number of days board furnished prisoners during the year 1924 were.....	349,593
The daily average of inmates were.....	955 63/365
The daily average cost of each inmate was.....	\$.72.89
The earnings from labor and business of the institution conducted with outside parties were.....	185,788.97
The daily average cost of each inmate after deducting earnings was .....	.19.75

GENERAL STATEMENT

	Dr.	Cr.
REAL ESTATE		
Consisting of farm, buildings, etc., and general improve- ments as per last report.....	\$2,214,825.59	
New female cell block:		
Material	\$4,577.14	
Hired labor	1,882.30	6,459.44
In addition, there is to be charged to this improvement for 570 days prison labor @ \$1.50.....	\$855.00	
Total cost of this improvement to date for cash expended.....	\$23,598.21	
Prison labor furnished.....	4,762.00	
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	\$28,360.21	
New factory building 1st sect- ion:		
Material	\$23,218.37	
Less cr.	\$ 2.75	
Less cement sacks rtd. ...	894.20	896.95
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	\$22,321.42	
Hired labor	23,543.32	45,864.74
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In addition, there is to be charged to this improvement for 10,093 days prison labor @		
\$1.50	\$15,139.50	
For 65 days teams.....	130.00	
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	\$15,269.50	
New factory building 2nd sect- ion:		
Material	\$2,426.13	
Less cr. on lumber.....	40.74	
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	\$2,385.39	
Hired labor	4,179.04	6,564.43
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In addition, there is to be charged to this improvement for 1,150 days prison labor @		
\$1.50	\$1,725.00	
For 55 teams.....	110.00	
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	\$1,835.00	

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
Total cost of factory building to date for cash ex- pended	\$60,671.17	
Teams and labor furnished	17,454.50	
	<u>\$78,125.67</u>	
New river wall: Material	\$ 2,529.44	
In addition, there is to be charged to this improvement for 1,784 days prison labor @ \$1.50	\$2,676.00	
Farm power line: Material	390.87	
	<u>\$2,276,634.51</u>	
Increase in valuation.....		\$ 61,808.92
Equipment female dept: Last report	3,263.73	\$ 3,263.73
MACHINERY AND BOILER		
Last report	38,514.12	
New steam engine	\$7,492.10	
Fibre machine	934.45	
Electric motor	338.40	
Electric drill	98.00	
Electric blower	132.30	
Steam preserver	230.30	
Electric motor	1,063.80	10,289.35
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	\$ 48,803.47	
Less depreciation 10%.....	4,880.34	
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	\$ 43,923.13	
Increase in valuation.....		\$ 5,409.01
LIVE STOCK		
Last valuation	\$ 12,179.00	
Present	12,211.00	
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Increase in valuation.....		\$ 32.00

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
VEHICLES, TWO AND FOUR WHEELED		
Last valuation	\$ 7,827.00	
Present valuation	7,877.00	\$ 50.00
Increase in valuation.....		
BUILDING MATERIAL		
Last valuation	\$ 1,696.80	
Present valuation	2,109.81	\$ 413.01
Increase in valuation.....		
MISCELLANEOUS STOCK		
Of goods in store for the general use of the prison which have not been in use:		
Last valuation	\$ 50,377.58	
Present valuation:		
Lime, coal and cement	\$11,558.77	
Paint and glass.....	1,685.30	
Material for use of plumber, blacksmith, etc.	3,121.77	
Dry goods, clothing, shoes	12,160.36	
Brushes, combs and stationery	1,891.36	
Hardware	1,629.01	
Oats, hay and straw....	9,010.63	
Flour, groceries, pro- visions	9,546.05	
Drugs and medicine.....	600.00	
Power loom	2,209.52	53,412.77
Increase in valuation.....		\$ 3,035.19

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN BROOM FACTORY		
Last valuation	\$ 47,241.09	
Present valuation	<u>40,772.62</u>	
Decrease in valuation	\$ 6,468.47	
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN BRUSH FACTORY		
Last valuation	\$ 3,045.25	
Present valuation	<u>2,121.00</u>	
Decrease in valuation	\$ 924.25	
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN CARPET FACTORY		
Last valuation	\$11,738.46	
Present valuation	<u>19,056.06</u>	
Increase in valuation.....	\$ 7,317.60	
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN CHAIR FACTORY		
Last valuation	\$76,898.48	
Present valuation	<u>67,343.13</u>	
Decrease in valuation.....	\$ 9,555.35	
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN LAUNDRY		
Last valuation	\$ 604.98	
Present valuation	<u>702.96</u>	
Increased valuation	\$ 97.98	

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
BOOK ACCOUNTS DUE THE WORK HOUSE		
Last report	\$ 60,759.57	
For brooms	\$ 2,462.67	
For brushes	63.15	
For carpet	2,501.79	
For chair	14,191.97	
For laundry	153.75	
Maintenance of prisoners	\$52,629.70	
Sundry items	960.15	72,963.18
Increased valuation		\$ 12 203.61
BOOK ACCOUNTS DUE BY THE WORK HOUSE		
Last report	\$10,719.76	
Acct. broom factory.....	\$ 514.90	
Acct. carpet factory.....	4,442.20	
Acct. chair factory.....	3,121.44	
Miscellaneous	5,675.31	
Laundry	28.37	13,782.22
Increased valuation		\$ 3,062.46
BILLS RECEIVABLE ON HAND		
Last report	\$ 71.50	
On hand	00.00	
Decreased valuation		\$ 71.50

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
FIRE LOSS BRUSH FACTORY BUILDING		
Last report	\$ 6,662.68	
Present report charged off.....		\$ 6,662.68
RECEIVED FROM TREASURER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY		
For construction and betterment	\$ 35,000.00	
Maintenance	\$ 65,000.00	
Received from interest on daily balances	\$ 5,507.27	
CASH ON HAND		
Last report	\$ 189,206.58	
Cash on hand at this date:		
On account general		
maintenance	\$156,100.04	
Less deficit special ap- portionment	9,166.70	146,933.34
Decreased	\$ 42,273.24	
Balance deficiency, which repre- sents the amount over and above all earnings which was needed for the maintenance of the workhouse for the year 1924		\$ 74,096.27
	\$ 171,126.27	\$ 171,126.27

APPENDIX

Appropriation for 1924—Construction and betterments:

Balance on hand January 1, 1924.....	\$17,642.22
Received for the year 1924.....	35,000.00

EXPENDED

New female cell block.....	\$ 6,459.44
New factory, 1st section.....	43,864.74
New factory, 2nd section.....	6,564.43
New factory, architect's account.....	2,000.00
New retaining wall at river.....	2,529.44
Farm power line.....	390.87
	61,808.92
Balance deficit	\$ 9,166.70

FARM.

The Workhouse farm during the season of 1924 produced:

15 ton early cabbage	4,500 gallons of skim milk
86 ton late cabbage	497 quarts of cream
5,100 bushel potatoes	624 gallons of buttermilk
1,452 bushel sweet corn	1,500 pounds of veal
750 bushel field corn	30,177 pounds of pork
968 bushel wheat	1,442 pounds of chicken
412 bushel rye	65 ton of ensilage
1,440 bushel oats	3 barrels of vinegar
273 ton of hay	90 pound of duck
114 ton of straw	31 squabs
35 ton of alfalfa	45 bushel timothy seed
5,565 dozen of eggs	6 bushel clover seed
2,948 pounds of butter	175 bushels kohlrabi
5,066 gallons of milk	246 bushels table beets
610 bushels onions	1,286 bushels tomatoes
92 bushels peas	286 bushels table carrots
50 bushels green onions	55 bushels pickles
25 bushels peppers	37 bushel parsley
760 bushel spinach	1,052 bushels green beans
1,060 bushels parsnips	16 bushels egg plant
3,600 heads celery	3 bushels cauliflower
870 dozen sweet corn	3,000 heads lettuce
600 stocks leaks	60 bundles asparagus
38 bundles rhubarb	43 bushels lima beans
10 bushels sunflower seeds	28 bushels radishes
500 heads cabbage	67 bushels leaf lettuce
90 bushels green tomatoes	35 bushels cucumbers
78 bushels rutabagas	344 quarts strawberries

Potato crop 1924 A. C. W. H.



POTATO CROP—1924

STATISTICS
1924

I

STATISTICS FOR 1924

Number in confinement December 31, 1923.....	848
Number received during 1924.....	4,457
	5,305

OF THE ABOVE THERE WERE

Discharged by expiration sentence.....	3,366
Discharged by order of court.....	499
Discharged by commutation of time.....	169
Discharged by governor's pardon.....	1
Discharged by parole.....	221
Escaped without recapture.....	4
Died	16
Removed to hospital for insane.....	6
	4,282

LEAVING IN CONFINEMENT DECEMBER 31, 1924

Males, white	587
Males, colored	392 979
	—
Females, white	22
Females, colored	22 44
	—
	1,023

II

THE NUMBER RECEIVED EACH MONTH WAS

	Males	Females	Total
January	350	10	360
February	299	7	306
March	310	18	328
April	315	28	343
May	375	11	386
June	466	18	484
July	403	20	423
August	323	28	351
September	380	21	401
October	335	11	346
November	341	13	354
December	368	7	375
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Totals	4,265	192	4,457

III

THE NUMBER IN CONFINEMENT AT END OF EACH
MONTH WAS

	Males	Females	Total
January	878	28	906
February	806	31	837
March	833	39	872
April	824	50	874
May	871	40	911
June	1,024	42	1,066
July	998	47	1,045
August	926	54	980
September	977	56	1,033
October	963	49	1,012
November	972	49	1,021
December	979	44	1,023

IV

**OF THE 4,457 PRISONERS RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR,
THERE WAS COMMITTED BY**

By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Allegheny County	38
By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Fayette County	2
By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Washington County	1
By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Beaver County	2
By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Clarion County	1
By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Clearfield County	1
By the Common Pleas Court of Allegheny County.....	1
By the County Court of Allegheny County.....	58
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Allegheny County	401
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Fayette County	170
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Westmoreland County	42
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Lawrence County	95
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Erie County	18
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Washington County	101
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Indiana County	11
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Beaver County	58
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Jefferson County	16
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Armstrong County	24
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Butler County	59
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Crawford County	41
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Mercer County	109
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Clarion County	7
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Greene County	3
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Venango County	10
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Blair County	1
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Forest County	2
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Somerset County	28
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Clinton County	3
By A. W. Houston, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	9
By A. O. Richards, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	23
By George H. England, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	809
By E. M. Hough, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	708
By P. F. Gallagher, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	127
By B. L. Succop, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	67
By Ralph E. Smith, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	271
By Tensard De Wolf, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	89
By E. M. Trich, Police Magistrate of McKeesport, Pa.....	7
By Leo Rothenberg, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	176
By Justice of Peace, Allegheny County	804
By Justice of Peace, Mercer County	33
By Justice of Peace, Washington County	3
By Justice of Peace, Lawrence County	0
By Justice of Peace, Fayette County	24
By Justice of Peace, Venango County	3
By Justice of Peace, Indiana County	1

4,457

CRIME OR OFFENSE

Abusing family	39	Inebriate	1
Accessory after the fact	1	Incestuous fornication	2
Adultery	15	Indecent exposure	1
Arson	2	Involuntary manslaughter	8
Assault indecent	3	Keeping a bawdy house.....	5
Assault and battery.....	36	Keeping a disorderly house	33
Assault and battery, aggravated	49	Keeping a gambling house..	5
Assault and battery, felonious	79	Larceny	89
Assault and battery, intent to rape	3	Larceny from person.....	11
Assault and battery, intent to rob	4	Larceny by bailee	4
Assault and battery, intent to kill	4	Larceny and receiving	
Assault and battery, intent to maim	1	stolen goods	71
Bigamy	4	Larceny and carrying concealed weapons	2
Burglary	6	Lewdness	3
Being a professional thief.....	5	Mayhem	1
Being a common prostitute	4	Manslaughter	1
Breaking and entering a building	27	Murder	10
Carrying concealed weapons	65	Misdemeanor	33
Counterfeiting	1	Non-support	81
Cruelty to children.....	2	Perjury	2
Cruelty to animals	1	Pointing firearms	15
Disorderly conduct	649	Pandering	2
Drunkenness	306	Rape	11
Drunkenness and Disorderly conduct	38	Robbery	24
Desertion	1	Robbery and receiving	
Desertion and non-support	6	stolen goods	21
Embezzlement	3	Receiving stolen goods.....	4
Escape	4	Rape and adultery	1
Enticing female child	3	Suspicious person	1,283
Entering a building	38	Selling liquor unlawfully	
Entering a building to commit a felony	15	and manufacturing	477
Escape and adultery.....	1	Selling contraband in prison	1
False pretense	19	Seduction	1
Forgery	13	Sodomy	6
Fornication and adultery	3	Surety of the peace	1
Fornication and bastardy.....	5	Street walking	4
Fraud, making and uttering writ	3	Soliciting person to commit	
Gambling	2	felony	7

4,457

VI

OCCUPATION

Actor	4	Molder	33
Auto repair	3	Millwright	6
Artist	1	Merchant	6
Butler .....	.2	Musician	12
Broommaker	1	Mechanic	72
Blacksmith	22	Messenger	1
Boiler maker	27	Motorman	1
Baker	27	Nurse	3
Bricklayer	12	None	1
Butcher	20	Newsboy	2
Bookkeeper	1	Oiler	2
Bell boy	4	Porter	139
Brakeman	5	Peddler	1
Barber	66	Plumber	19
Boot-black	10	Printer	12
Cook	136	Plasterer	12
Carpenter	58	Pipe fitter	30
Clerk	59	Painter	117
Chauffeur	132	Paper hanger	5
Craneman	14	Puddler	1
Candy-maker	1	Proprietor of pool room	1
Conductor (R. R.)	2	Pugilist	2
Car repairman	3	Presser	31
Chemist	1	Proprietor of restaurant	2
Chain-maker	2	Policeman	4
Cooper	2	Proprietor of store	14
Cement-worker	1	Physician	1
Detective	1	Roller	2
Dairyman	3	Reporter	1
Dentist	1	Rigger	3
Dishwasher	7	Roofer	10
Engineer	18	Salesman	27
Electrician	31	Shoemaker	33
Elevator operator	1	Steamfitter	6
Fireman	174	Stone mason	1
Farmer	56	Sailor	3
Floor-finisher	1	Seamstress	1
Glass-worker	12	Stenographer	2
Gardener	6	Stableman	3
Galvanizer	1	Shipper	6
Garage owner	2	Structural iron worker	1
Housework	189	Spinner, Silk mill	1
Huckster	2	Student	1
Hammerman	2	Teamster	139
Heater	2	Tinner	5
Hod-carrier	2	Tailor	64
Iron worker	15	Tire-maker	1
Interpreter	1	Telegrapher	1
Janitor	5	Undertaker	1
Jeweler	1	Waiter	108
Laborer	2,064	Welder	3
Lather	3	Waitress	1
Laboratory technician	1	Watchman	1
Miner	220	Weaver	3
Machinist	62		

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VII

SENTENCES FOR WHICH COMMITTED

10 days	3	30 days to 60 days	3
15 days	2	60 days to 120 days	6
20 days	1	40 days to 3 months	0
30 days	2,358	90 days to 180 days	2
45 days	1	1 month to 2 months	1
60 days	488	2 months to 4 months	9
90 days	320	3 months to 6 months	50
120 days	1	3 months 45 days to 6 mo.	1
180 days	1	3 months to 1 year	1
1 month	1	4 months to 6 months	1
2 months	11	4 months to 8 months	17
3 months	83	5 months to 10 months	8
4 months	88	6 months to 1 year	80
4 months 13 days	1	7 months to 14 months	2
5 months	27	8 months to 16 months	2
6 months	168	9 months to 18 months	15
7 months	29	10 months to 20 months	3
7 months 18 days	1	11 months to 22 months	2
8 months	51	11 months to 2 years	1
9 months	41	1 year to 2 years	69
10 months	52	1 year to 3 years	1
11 months	14	13 months to 24 months	1
11 months 25 days	12	1 year to 5 years	1
11 months 29 days	14	15 months to 30 months	1
1 year	110	16 months to 32 months	2
1 year 2 months 26 days	1	1 yr. 6 mos. to 2 yrs. 8 mos.	1
14 months	1	18 months to 3 years	28
15 months	30	2 years to 3 years	3
16 months	2	2 years to 4 years	27
18 months	46	23 months to 46 months	1
22 months	1	2½ years to 3 years	1
2 years	35	2½ years to 5 years	1
2 years 4 months	2	3 years to 6 years	11
2 years 6 months	4	3 years to 7 years	1
3 years	1	5 years to 6 years	1
4 years	1	5 years to 10 years	1
Indeterminate	94	6 years to 12 years	1
10 days to 20 days	1	8 years to 16 years	2
20 days to 40 days	1	9½ years to 10 years	1

4,457

VIII

OF THE 4,457 RECEIVED THERE WERE COMMITTED FOR

The first time	3,081
The second time	789
The third time	233
The fourth time	112
The fifth time	67
The sixth time	49
The seventh time	19
The eighth time	14
The ninth time	4
The tenth time	25
The eleventh time	2
The twelfth time	18
The fourteenth time	7
The fifteenth time	12
The eighteenth time	1
The twentieth time	11
The twenty-fourth time	1
The twenty-fifth time	8
The twenty-eighth time	2
The thirtieth time	1
The fiftieth time and over	1
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	4,457

IX

NATIVITY

United States	3,348
Ireland	98
Germany	17
England	29
Austria	279
Italy	149
Scotland	11
Russia	92
Wales	11
Poland	130
Hungary	9
Canada	12
France	2
Switzerland	1
Sweden	11
Greece	19
Denmark	4
West Indies	13
Australia	2
Norway	2
Rumania	25
Spain	7
East Indies	8
China	3
Mexico	47
Turkey	3
Africa	1
Arabia	1
Portugal	1
Argentine	4
Serbia	41
Egypt	1
Finland	10
Armenia	1
Bulgaria	4
Syria	9
Jerusalem	1
Croatia	21
Zecho-Slovakia	13
Lithuania	14
Uruguay	1
Hawaii	1
Ukranian	1
	4,457

X

AGE WHEN COMMITTED

Under 20 years of age.....	171
From 20 to 30 years.....	1,821
From 30 to 40 years.....	1,312
From 40 to 50 years.....	802
From 50 to 60 years.....	269
60 years and over.....	82
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	4,457

XI

PARENTAL RELATIONS

Parents living at 16 years.....	3,498
Father died before 16 years of age.....	286
Mother died before 16 years of age.....	224
Both parents died before 16 years of age.....	449
	—
	4,457

XII

EDUCATION

Read and write.....	3,519
Read or write	441
Neither read nor write.....	497
	4,457

XIII

OF THE 502 THAT COULD NOT READ OR WRITE

WERE NATIVES OF

United States	216
Ireland	4
Austria	84
Italy	41
Russia	36
Poland	44
Germany	3
Hungary	2
Canada	2
Greece	2
Rumania	9
Sweden	1
Turkey	1
West Indies	3
East Indies	1
Spain	2
Mexico	18
Serbia	19
Portugal	1
Albania	1
Croatia	4
Zecho-Slovakia	2
Lithuania	6
	502

XIV

HABITS OF LIFE

Abstinent	1,028
Moderate drinker	717
Occasionally intemperate	2,332
Intemperate	367
Drug addict	13
	—
	4,457

XV

COLOR

White males	2,311
Colored males	1,954
White females	80
Colored females	112
	—
	4,457

XVI

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTIONS

Roman Catholic	1,803
Methodist	251
Baptist	1,968
Presbyterian	110
Lutherans	76
Episcopalian	31
Other denominations	133
No religious instructions.....	55
Jews	30
	—
	4,457

XVII

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

Not apprenticed	4,234
Apprenticed and absconded	4
Apprenticed	219
	—
	4,457

XVIII

INMATES OF THE WORKHOUSE DECEMBER 31, 1924

Native born males.....	714
Foreign born males.....	265
	—
Native born females	33
Foreign born females	11
	—
	1,023

XIX

THE 276 FOREIGN BORN INMATES WERE RESIDENT OF PENNSYLVANIA FOR

1 year and under.....	32
2 years and under.....	11
3 years and under.....	16
4 years and under.....	11
5 years and under.....	11
6 years and under.....	8
7 years and under.....	9
8 years and under.....	5
9 years and under.....	6
10 years and under.....	7
11 years and under.....	6
12 years and under.....	18
13 years and under.....	16
14 years and under.....	18
15 years and under.....	12
16 years and under.....	5
17 years and under.....	11
18 years and under.....	11
19 years and under.....	7
20 years and under.....	11
21 years and under.....	1
22 years and under.....	5
23 years and under.....	4
24 years and under.....	9
25 years and under.....	6
26 years and under.....	1
27 years and under.....	1
28 years and under.....	3
29 years and under.....	2
30 years and over	13

XX

OF THE 276 FOREIGN BORN INMATES THERE WERE

95 RESIDENT OF OTHER STATES BEFORE

COMING TO PENNSYLVANIA

1 year and under.....	10
2 years and under.....	16
3 years and under.....	12
4 years and under.....	5
5 years and under.....	10
6 years and under.....	6
7 years and under.....	4
8 years and under.....	3
9 years and under.....	6
10 years and under.....	3
11 years and under.....	1
12 years and under.....	4
13 years and under.....	3
14 years and under.....	
15 years and under.....	3
16 years and under.....	3
17 years and under.....	1
18 years and under.....	2
19 years and under.....	2
25 years and under.....	1
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	95

XXI

TABLE SHOWING LOSS AND GAIN IN POUNDS, OF PRISONERS, DURING THEIR TERM OF IMPRISONMENT

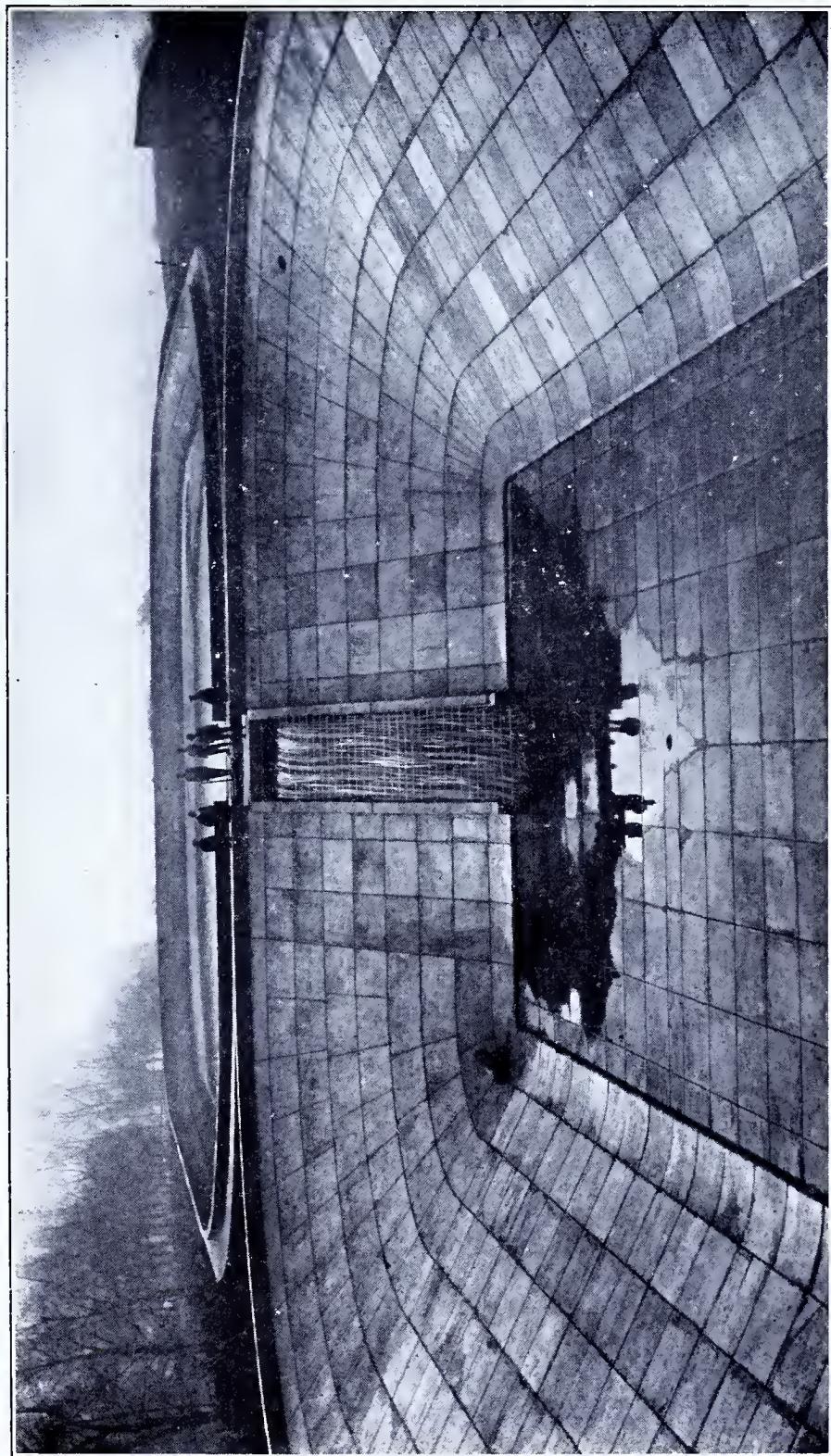
Time Imprisoned	Number Weighed	Increase	Decrease	Balance of Increase over Decrease	Average Increase over Decrease	Largest Single Increase	Largest Single Decrease
MALES							
Less than thirty days.....	384	1,520	161	1,359	3.51	49	13
From thirty to ninety days	2,532	11,979	3,469	8,510	3.31	63	32
From ninety days to six months...	822	3,585	2,072	1,513	1.84	43	31
From six months to two years and over	380	967	1,996	-1,029	-2.70	36	83
Total	4,118	18,051	7,698	10,353	2.51		
FEMALES							
Less than thirty days.....	46	69	40	29	.63	10	11
From thirty to ninety days	77	238	130	108	1.42	17	16
From ninety days to six months...	25	106	131	-25	-1	25	24
From six months to two years and over	16	68	34	34	2.12	17	15
Grand Totals.....	4,282	18,532	8,033	10,499	2.45		

XXII

NUMBER OF DEATHS DURING THE YEAR

Tuberculosis	1
Chronic alcoholism	1
Nephritis	1
Pulmonary tuberculosis	6
Lobar pneumonia	2
Hemopericardium	1
Drowned	1
Chronic Myocarditis	2
Tubercular Meningitis	1
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WORKHOUSE RESERVOIR



CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

1924

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

Blawnox, Pa., December 31, 1924.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF
THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE AND
INEBRIATE ASYLUM.

Gentlemen:—

I hereby submit my Eleventh Annual Report as Chaplain of the Allegheny County Workhouse and Inebriate Asylum.

The nature of the chaplain's work varies very little from year to year—for human nature is ever the same—the problems varying only with the individual. The fact that the average term of the inmates is much longer than formerly, gives a different opportunity for the chaplain to help them. The increased population is reflected in the increased number of incoming and outgoing letters, and papers received—also in the larger number of items of personal business, in which the chaplain is called upon to assist.

The chaplain's work may be considered under the three general heads: Religious, Educational and Recreational.

RELIGIOUS DEPARTMENT

The Sabbath Day services have been held regularly during the year and have been very encouraging, as evidenced by the good attendance of the inmates and the words of appreciation expressed by them from time to time. At the morning service, the chaplain preaches a sermon—at the afternoon service, the International Sunday School Lesson is the subject for discussion. The afternoon service is varied from time to time, by having a visiting speaker or a special program of music suited to the occasion, given by the church choirs and individuals from the various churches of the city.

The changing population of the institution makes it difficult to keep the music at an even standard. In the direction of the choir, Mrs. H. P. Mutch has very ably met this difficult problem. The music of the choir has been of high grade. During the year, an orchestra, organized and directed by the chaplain, has furnished instrumental music of an exceptional quality for the church services and the special entertainment nights, to the delight of all.

The Reverend Father P. M. Boyle very faithfully looked after the special interests of the catholic inmates. Rollo H. McBride, of the Parting of the Ways Home, addressed the inmates and presented his work at stated times during the year.

The Salvation Army held a service on their Prison Sunday.

The re-painting and re-furnishing of the chapel and the addition of a fine new Steinway piano have greatly increased the attractiveness and value of the services.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT

The school, under the direction of the chaplain, did some efficient work. During the year, the library was augmented by the addition of about one thousand books, in the selection of which, the chaplain spent considerable time and care. A supplementary catalogue of the new books was printed. In addition to the many books delivered from the library shelves, a large number of papers, magazines and religious periodicals were distributed.

The re-painting of the library room has greatly improved its appearance. The inmates, who are assistants in the library, have showed commendable interest in keeping the library clean and the books in order.

In the bindery, a number of new books were bound by a professional book-binder who was an inmate for a short time. The man in the bindery at the present time, though inexperienced in the work, is doing considerable work in repairing the books in circulation.

RECREATIONAL DEPARTMENT

Every two weeks, during the winter months, there was furnished a moving picture, or a musical and literary program. During the summer months, on Saturday afternoon, the inmates engage in athletic sports in the prison yard. On the Fourth of July, a special program consisting of vaudeville and athletic performances was given.

SPECIAL SERVICES

Washington's birthday.....	Address by the Rev. J. F. Jose.
Memorial day.....	Address by the Rev. W. J. Lowery.
Independence day.....	Address by the Rev. G. R. Haden.
Thanksgiving day.....	Address by the chaplain
Christmas day.....	Address by the Rev. W. R. Wigton

With a due sense of imperfections, we take pride in the work of the various departments.

In closing this report, I wish to thank the board of managers, the superintendent Mr. A. H. Leslie, and the officers for their co-operation in the work of the department.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. M. BUZZA,
Chaplain.

WORKHOUSE FARM BUILDINGS



PHYSICIAN'S REPORT

1924

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT

Blawnox, Pa., December 31, 1924.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF
THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE AND
INEBRIATE ASYLUM.

Gentlemen:

The following report of the medical department for the year ending December 31, 1924 and recommendations are respectfully submitted.

The general sanitary and hygienic conditions have been the same as in past years. An improvement which can and should be made is the installation of drinking fountains in all the shops. The use of a common cup, as now practiced, is too dangerous and should not be permitted.

To comply with the State requirements, a thorough physical examination of all prisoners received is made and record of defects kept for future use. All luetric patients are given the opportunity of receiving extra venous treatments.

Numerically, our mortality was large. However, when the six sudden deaths and that of one inmate whose time had expired, but was physically unable to leave, are excluded, we had but ten deaths from disease during the year. This in spite of the fact that our daily average was the highest in the history of our institution.

One of the sudden deaths was due to drowning. Five were subject to post mortem examination by the coroner's physician. The causes of these deaths as determined by him will be found in a later part of this report.

At this time I would express my appreciation of the treatment received from your Board, the Superintendent, and Officers.

The following statistics are submitted as a part of this report.

SUMMARY OF CALLS BY MONTH

January	1,281
February	1,244
March	1,403
April	1,140
May	1,108
June	941

July	1,407
August	529
September	1,315
October	1,300
November	1,330
December	1,295
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	14,293

SUMMARY OF HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Number of patients in hospital January 1, 1924.....	11
Number admitted during the year.....	130 141
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Number died during the year #.....	10
Number discharged during the year.....	118
Number escaped during the year.....	1
Remaining in the hospital January 1, 1925.....	12 141

#This does not include the five sudden deaths in their cells, one who drowned, nor the one who was unable to leave when his sentence expired.

The causes of deaths, as determined by the coroner were as follows:

Pulmonary tuberculosis	5
Nephritis	1
Apoplexy	1
Pneumonia	1
Acute alcoholism	1
Meningitis, tubercular	1
Drowning—accidental	1
Infarct of heart and its rupture.....	1
Acute cardiac dilatation.....	2
Coronary sclerosis	1
Lobar pneumonia	1
Paresis, luetic origin	1

CONDITIONS FOR WHICH PATIENTS WERE ADMITTED TO THE HOSPITAL

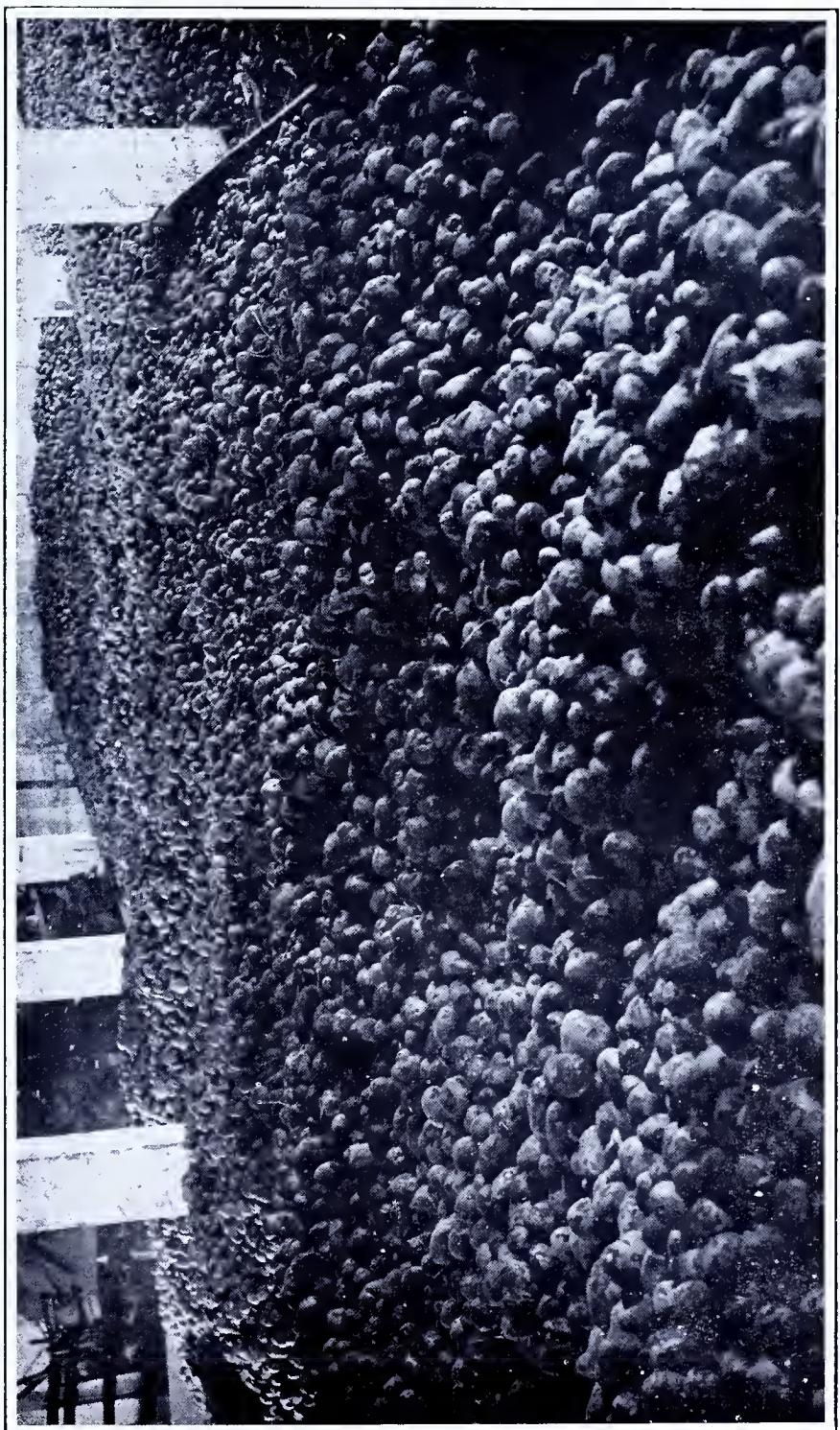
Rheumatism	17	Measles	1
Pulmonary tuberculosis	39	Malingerer	2
For special diet	5	Epistaxis	1
Nephritis	3	Inebriate	1
Apoplexy	4	Acute alcoholism	4
Pneumonia	11	Lues	1
Hiccough	1	Gastritis	2
Bronchitis	4	Anaemia	1
Undiagnosed	3	Contusions	3
Quinsy	1	Puncture (wound of foot)	1
Pleurisy	1	Fractured humerus	1
Tonsilitis	1	Sprained ankle	1
Appendicitis	4	Lacerated scalp	1
Grippe	3	Insane	1
Epilepsy	4	For observation	1
Acute indigestion	2		

SUMMARY OF DISPENSARY CALLS

Anarexia	4	Gastric ulcer	3
Anaemia	4	Headache	1,494
Arthritis	21	Hemorrhoid	53
Asthma	15	Hives	2
Alcoholism	27	Indigestion	804
Acne	28	Ivy poison	4
Adenitis	8	Intercostal neuralgia	2
Angina Pectoris	1	Lumbago	36
Backache	639	Laryngitis	4
Bronchitis	1,237	Morphine addicts	5
Bilious	1	Malaria	35
Cold	2,736	Myalgia	30
Constipation	3,641	Menorrhagia	1
Coryza	2	Mental	2
Conjunctivitis	18	Neuritis	2
Cystitis	71	Neuralgia	404
Chorca	2	Nervous	7
Cramps	1	Night sweats	2
Diarrhoea	144	Opium smoking	2
Earache	16	Pleuradynea	49
Epilepsy	4	Pleurisy	3
Eczema	39	Palpitation—cardiac	26
Gastralgia	2	Rheumatism	464
Gonorrhoea	117	Scabies	2
Grippe	55	Syphilis	127
Gastritis	233	Sciatica	2
Surgical cases	529	Tonsilitis	469
Torticollis	22	Toothache	11
Tachycardia	1	Tinea pubes	67
Vertigo	31	Valvular heart lesions	4

Respectfully,

L. T. MITCHELL.



STORED POTATOES



FARM REPORT
1924



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FARM REPORT

Mr. A. H. Leslie, Superintendent of the Allegheny County Workhouse and Inebriate Asylum,

Dear Sir:—

I hereby submit the following report of the farm for the year ending December 31, 1924.

The cold, wet weather which prevailed during the spring prevented us from getting the crops planted on time. This especially affected the corn and potato crops. The winter wheat was considerably damaged during the winter so that twelve acres of our wheat crop was entirely frozen out and the yield cut down considerably on the remainder of the crop. The field corn was practically a failure, the yield being only 750 bushel whereas the average crop from the same acreage is usually around 3500 bu.

This year we hatched our own chicks, the number of chicks hatched amounting to 2150.

During the year, twenty-one calves were dropped and two colts foaled. The number of pigs farrowed during the year amounted to 151.

We had 126 7/10 acres in cultivated crops and 252 acres in small grains and meadows last year. The number of acres in each crop and the yield per acre was as follows:

Potatoes	37 acres	140 bus. to acre.
Early cabbage	1 acre	15 tons to acre.
Late cabbage	6 acres	14 tons to acre.
Sweet corn	18 acres	79 bus. to acre.
Field corn	40 acres	19 bus. to acre.
Cow beets	4 acres	20 tons to acre.
Carrots	7/10 acre	385 bus. to acre.
Oats	37 acres	39 bus. to acre.
Hay	122 acres	2.2 tons to acre.
Wheat	52 acres	19 bus. to acre.
Rye	22 acres	19 bus. to acre.
Alfalfa	19 acres	2 tons to acre.

Amount of livestock on the farm December 31, 1924.

Work horses	26	Sows	9
Colts	5	Boars	2
Stud	1	Hogs	72
Cows	21	Pullets	715
Heifers	32	Hens	160
Calves	5	Cockerels	30
Bulls	1		

In the fall of the year sixty-two acres were sown to wheat and thirty-three acres were sown to rye.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL C. KINCAID,
Farm Mgr.

**GENERAL STATISTICAL
TABLES**

GENERAL STATISTICAL TABLES

I

The number of prisoners received since the organization of
the workhouse, August 6, 1869, is..... 198,056

OF THE ABOVE THERE WERE

Discharged by expiration of sentence	175,467
Discharged by order of court.....	11,804
Discharged by commutation of time.....	6,917
Discharged by governor's pardon	194
Discharged by parole	1,666
Escaped without recapture.....	302
Died	472
Removed to hospital for insane.....	204
Removed to hospital for smallpox.....	7 197,033
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Leaving in confinement December 31, 1924, males.....	979
Leaving in confinement December 31, 1924, females.....	44 1,023
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CRIME OR OFFENSE

II

Abandoning an infant	8	Attempt to commit felony	22
Abducting a child.....	6	Attempt to commit	
Abortion	9	larceny	27
Abusing family	230	Attempt to commit	
Accessory to burglary		robbery	31
(after the fact)	4	Attempt to commit rape..	51
Accessory to murder		Attempt to procure	
(after the fact)	1	abortion	6
Accessory to felony		Attempt to rescue.....	8
(after the fact)	3	Attempt to poison.....	4
Accessory after the fact ..	2	Attempt to enter bldg	8
Adultery	465	Attempt to break jail.....	5
Aiding prisoner to escape	10	Attempt to kill.....	8
Appeal cases	15	Attempt to false pretense	3
Arson	50	Attempt to sodomy and	
Affray	5	buggery	9
Assault	200	Attempt to arson.....	1
Assault indecent	45	Attempt to blow up	
Assault felonious	190	dwelling	2
Assault felonious and en-		Barratry	12
tering building	1	Bigamy	136
Assault and pointing fire-		Bigamy and perjury.....	2
arms	57	Blasphemy	1
Assault and battery.....	2,748	Buggery	3
Assault and battery, ag-		Bigamy, perjury and	
gravated	1,518	adultery	1
Assault and battery, fe-		Burglary	444
lonious	1,708	Being a professional thief	325
Assault and battery,		Being a burglar.....	5
intent to rape.....	261	Being a tramp	152
Assault and battery,		Being a common pros-	
intent to rob.....	76	stitute	2,014
Assault and battery,		Being a nuisance.....	34
intent to kill.....	72	Being a gambler	4
Assault and battery,		Being a scold	1
intent to maim.....	4	Breaking and entering a	
Assault and battery and		building	567
larceny	13	Breaking and entering a	
Assault and battery and		R. R. car.....	15
obstructing officer.....	19	Breaking prison	56
Assault and battery and		Bribery	2
carrying concealed			
weapons	14	Blackmail	5

CRIME OR OFFENSE—Continued

Carrying concealed weapons	1,130	Enticing female child	23
Compounding crime	2	Employing lady waiters.....	1
Conspiracy	167	Entering building	530
Concealing death of child	5	Entering building to commit felony	795
Corrupting a record	3	Entering R.R. car to commit felony	168
Counterfeiting	16	Extortion and blackmail	1
Cruelty to wife	33	Escape and adultery	2
Cruelty to children	190	Felony	7
Cruelty to animals	42	False pretense	550
Cruelty and neglect	81	False pretense and larceny	10
Cutting timber trees	1	Forgery	299
Carrying C. W., larceny and robbery	3	Forgery and larceny	1
Disorderly conduct	59,209	Forgery and embezzlement	3
Disorderly conduct and surety of peace	71	Forgery and extortion	2
Disorderly conduct and resisting officer	20	Fornication	26
Disorderly conduct and being escaped prisoner	1	Fornication and adultery	19
Disorderly and C. C. W.....	4	Fornication and bastardy	27
Disorderly conduct and vagrancy	117	Fast driving	15
Disorderly conduct and beating wife	1	Fortune telling	5
Drunkenness	12,173	Felonious shooting and cutting	39
Drunkenness and disorderly conduct	3,976	Fraudulently secreting property	3
Drunkenness and suspicious person	68	Fraudulently destroying will	1
Drunkenness and vagrancy	484	Fraudulently voting	3
Drunkenness and lewdness	15	Fraudulently making and uttering writ	67
Drunkenness, D. C. and vagrancy	9	Furnishing liquor unlawfully	20
Disturbing meetings	26	Fraudulently making and uttering usurious instrument	7
Defrauding boarding housekeeper	35	Fugitive from justice	1
Defrauding U. S. government	2	Gambling	303
Desertion	40	Horse stealing	67
Desertion and non-support	30	Habitual drunkard	69
Embezzlement	371	Inebriate	11
Escape	149	Incestuous fornication	5
Extortion	25	Interfering with officer	239
		Indecent exposure	355
		Incorrigibility	7
		Intent to burglary	1

CRIME OR OFFENSE—Continued

Indecency	2	Malicious cutting	1
Involuntary manslaughter	22	Neglecting family	35
Keeping bawdy house	449	Negligence	1
Keeping disorderly house	1,726	Non-support	939
Keeping gambling house..	207	Obscenity	8
Keeping gambling and disorderly house	2	Perjury	66
Keeping opium joint	3	Pointing firearms	251
Larceny from person and robbery	15	Personating an officer.....	60
Larceny	5,419	Prize fighting	2
Larceny from person	611	Purchasing scrap from minor	1
Larceny by bailee.....	290	Prostituting children	4
Larceny and receiving stolen goods	3,309	Pandering	38
Larceny and felony.....	7	Rape	146
Larceny and embezzlement	12	Rape, felonious	111
Larceny and burglary	24	Robbery	343
Larceny and adultery.....	1	Robbery and receiving stolen goods	289
Larceny and being escaped prisoner	4	Receiving stolen goods	581
Larceny and suspicious person	1	Riot	197
Larceny and escape and felonious assault	2	Riot and malicious.....	20
Larceny, breaking prison and malicious mischief	2	Riot and assault and battery	69
Larceny and carrying concealed weapon	4	Resisting an officer	16
Libel	13	Refusing to aid officer.....	6
Lewdness	129	Rescuing prisoners	8
Maintaining a common nuisance	2	Rape and adultery	7
Malicious mischief	315	Suspicious person	35,578
Malicious mischief and casting stones	19	Selling liquor unlawfully and manufacturing	3,782
Mayhem	32	Selling lottery tickets	37
Manslaughter	108	Selling diseased meat.....	2
Murder	41	Selling contraband in prison	1
Misdemeanor	567	Seduction	46
Misdemeanor and bribery	2	Sodomy	51
Misdemeanor and perjury	1	Sodomy and bastardy	8
Misdemeanor and adultery	1	Sodomy and buggery	63
		Sending threatening letters	7
		Surety of the peace	5
		Street walking	441
		Shooting to kill	10
		Shooting to maim	4
		Soliciting person to commit felony	15

CRIME OR OFFENSE—Continued

Selling cocaine	17	Violation city or borough	
Trespass	228	ordinance	2,093
Train jumping	18	Violation of public peace	15
Threatening to kill.....	1	Violation of public health	8
Unlawful wounding	452	Violation of sepulchre.....	1
Unlawful assembling	9	Visiting disorderly house	2,564
Vagrancy	41,706	Visiting gambling house..	87
Vagrancy and suspicious person	174	Visiting bawdy house.....	20
Vagrancy and being a professional thief	16	Violation of parole.....	23
Vagrancy and malicious trespass	4	Voluntary manslaughter..	23
Vagrancy and assault and battery	2	Violation of auto law.....	54
Vagrancy and larceny	3.	Violating drug act.....	23
		Violating quarantine	9
		Watch stuffing	1
		Wife beating	35

			198,056

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SENTENCES FOR WHICH COMMITTED

12 hours	2	43 days	3
1 day	26	44 days	1
3 days	5	45 days	32
5 days	47	46 days	1
6 days	1	50 days	11
10 days	340	60 days	25,842
11 days	2	63 days	3
12 days	1	65 days	13
14 days	1	68 days	3
15 days	62	70 days	10
17 days	1	73 days	2
18 days	2	75 days	8
20 days	1,164	80 days	5
21 days	2	82 days	1
22 days	1	84 days	2
25 days	8	86 days	1
30 days	116,978	90 days	20,051
31 days	2	92 days	1
34 days	1	93 days	4
35 days	1	100 days	1
40 days	188	110 days	2
41 days	1	116 days	1
42 days	1	118 days	67

SENTENCES FOR WHICH COMMITTED—Continued

120 days	3	6 months 30 days.....	4
125 days	1	6 months 40 days.....	4
134 days	13	6 months 60 days.....	2
149 days	1	6 months 84 days.....	1
177 days	1	6 months 90 days.....	3
180 days	97	6 months 111 days.....	1
190 days	1	6 months 120 days.....	1
209 days	3	7 months	330
240 days	3	7 months 10 days.....	1
214 days	1	7 months 15 days.....	1
238 days	1	7 months 18 days.....	1
241 days	1	7 months 20 days.....	3
242 days	1	8 months	943
470 days	1	8 months 5 days.....	2
1 month	133	8 months 27 days.....	2
2 months	637	8 months 60 days.....	1
2 months 30 days.....	1	8 months 180 days.....	1
3 months	4,391	9 months	1,639
3 months 5 days.....	1	9 months 10 days.....	4
3 months 10 days.....	4	9 months 20 days.....	2
3 months 15 days.....	1	9 months 30 days.....	1
3 months 20 days.....	89	9 months 50 days.....	1
3 months 26 days.....	1	9 months 90 days.....	1
3 months 30 days.....	49	10 months	601
3 months 40 days.....	29	10 months 10 days.....	1
3 months 60 days.....	16	10 months 15 days.....	3
3 months 90 days.....	4	10 months 19 days.....	2
3 months 100 days.....	1	10 months 20 days.....	1
3 months 120 days.....	2	10 months 60 days.....	2
4 months	3,844	11 months	148
4 months 10 days	2	11 months 15 days.....	15
4 months 13 days	1	11 months 20 days.....	10
4 months 15 days	6	11 months 25 days.....	16
4 months 20 days	5	11 months 27 days.....	1
4 months 27 days	2	11 months 29 days.....	54
4 months 30 days	12	11 months 30 days.....	1
4 months 25 days	1	1 year	4,508
4 months 60 days	9	1 year 5 days.....	2
4 months 120 days	1	1 year 20 days.....	1
5 months	906	1 year 30 days.....	9
5 months 1 day	1	1 year 40 days.....	1
5 months 5 days	2	1 year 60 days.....	2
5 months 16 days	1	1 year 90 days.....	4
5 months 20 days	4	1 year 150 days.....	2
5 months 27 days	2	1 year 2 months 3 days.....	1
5 months 30 days	3	1 year 2 months 26 days.....	1
5 months 29 days	5	1 year 3 months 2 days.....	1
5 months 60 days	1	1 year 4 months 50 days.....	1
5 months 135 days	1	1 year 7 months 1 day.....	1
6 months	9,063	1 year 8 months 9 days.....	1
6 months 3 days	1	1 year 11 months 17 days.....	1
6 months 10 days	1	13 months	38
6 months 15 days	4	14 months	83
6 months 20 days	7	15 months	494
6 months 21 days	1	15 months 30 days.....	1
6 months 25 days	1	15 months 60 days.....	1

SENTENCES FOR WHICH COMMITTED—Continued

16 months	81	10 days to 20 days.....	1
17 months	12	20 days to 40 days.....	1
18 months	1,277	30 days to 60 days.....	3
18 months 10 days.....	3	30 days to 6 months.....	1
18 months 30 days.....	2	60 days to 120 days.....	6
19 months	14	40 days to 3 months.....	1
20 months	65	90 days to 180 days.....	2
20 months 14 days.....	1	1 month to 2 months.....	3
21 months	51	6 weeks to 3 months.....	1
21 months 20 days.....	1	2 months to 4 months.....	16
22 months	17	2 months to 1 year	1
22 months 13 days.....	1	3 months to 6 months.....	63
23 months	3	3 mos. 45 days-6 mos.....	1
2 years	1,249	3 months to 1 year	2
2 years 60 days	2	4 months to 6 months	1
2 years 1 month.....	1	4 months to 8 months.....	22
2 years 1 month 27 days	1	5 months to 10 months.....	11
2 years 2 months.....	9	6 months to 1 year	97
2 years 3 months.....	26	6 months to 18 months.....	1
2 years 4 months.....	21	7 months to 14 months.....	2
2 years 4 months 10 days	1	8 months to 16 months.....	2
2 years 5 months.....	4	8 months to 18 months.....	1
2 years 5 months 17 days	1	9 months to 18 months.....	20
2 years 6 months.....	137	10 months to 20 months.....	4
2 years 7 months.....	1	11 months to 22 months.....	2
2 years 8 months.....	3	11 months to 2 years	1
2 years 9 months.....	5	1 year to 2 years	87
2 years 9 months 10 days	1	1 year to 3 years	3
2 years 10 months.....	2	13 months to 24 months.....	1
2 years 11 months.....	1	15 months to 30 months.....	1
3 years	259	16 months to 32 months.....	2
3 years 60 days	1	17 months to 3 years	1
3 years 1 month.....	1	18 months to 3 years	35
3 years 2 months.....	1	1 yr. 6 mos.-2 yrs. 8 mos.....	1
3 years 3 months.....	3	1 year to 5 years	1
3 years 3 months 16 days	1	2 years to 3 years	3
3 years 5 months 3 days..	1	2 years to 4 years	36
3 years 6 months.....	23	23 months to 46 months	1
3 years 9 months.....	1	2½ years to 3 years	1
4 years	59	2½ years to 5 years	2
4 years 2 months.....	2	2 yrs. 9 mos. 28 dys.-3	
4 years 6 months.....	1	yrs. 9 mos. 28 dys.....	1
5 years	29	3 years to 6 years	13
5 years 6 months.....	1	3 years to 7 years	1
6 years	10	5 years to 6 years	1
6 years 6 months.....	1	5 years to 10 years	1
7 years	3	6 years to 12 years	1
7 years 9 months 14 days	1	8 years to 16 years	2
8 years	1	9½ years to 10 years	1
10 years	1		
Indeterminate	968		198,056

IV

OF THE 198,056 RECEIVED THERE WERE COMMITTED FOR

The first time	109,055	The twenty-seventh time	152
The second time	32,444	The twenty-eighth time	150
The third time	15,383	The twenty-ninth time	133
The fourth time	9,228	The thirtieth time	133
The fifth time	6,158	The thirty-first time	126
The sixth time	4,795	The thirty-second time	106
The seventh time	3,652	The thirty-third time	95
The eighth time	2,628	The thirty-fourth time	88
The ninth time	1,941	The thirty-fifth time	85
The tenth time	1,919	The thirty-sixth time	72
The eleventh time	1,154	The thirty-seventh time	72
The twelfth time	1,148	The thirty-eighth time	71
The thirteenth time	802	The thirty-ninth time	67
The fourteenth time	802	The fortieth time	67
The fifteenth time	795	The forty-first time	61
The sixteenth time	579	The forty-second time	51
The seventeenth time	475	The forty-third time	48
The eighteenth time	469	The forty-fourth time	45
The nineteenth time	426	The forty-fifth time	39
The twentieth time	434	The forty-sixth time	38
The twenty-first time	315	The forty-seventh time	32
The twenty-second time	260	The forty-eighth time	30
The twenty-third time	239	The forty-ninth time	28
The twenty-fourth time	235	The fiftieth time and over	503
The twenty-fifth time	235		
The twenty-sixth time	193		
			198,056

V

NATIVITY

United States	130,529	Arabia	23
Ireland	22,179	Brazil	15
Germany	8,944	Isle of Man	8
England	7,478	Isle of Malta	6
Austria	8,634	New Foundland	3
Italy	3,972	Portugal	11
Scotland	2,455	India	7
Russia	3,170	Japan	4
Wales	1,713	Argentine	11
Poland	2,263	Serbia	173
Hungary	1,610	Egypt	10
Canada	1,253	Chile	2
France	610	Finland	84
Switzerland	487	Armenia	14
Sweden	583	U. S. of Columbia.....	1
Greece	302	Bulgaria	36
Holland	85	Algeria	6
Denmark	97	Philippine Island	1
West Indies	140	Unknown	45
Ocean	64	Syria	32
Belgium	66	Porto Rica	10
Australia	64	Jerusalem	1
Norway	75	Albania	6
Rumania	135	Cuba	16
Central America	36	Croatia	32
Spain	64	Jamaica	2
East Indies	42	Zecho-Slovakia	13
China	36	Lithuania	14
Mexico	289	Uruguay	1
Turkey	66	Hawaii	1
Africa	27		
			198,056

VI

AGE WHEN COMMITTED

Under 20 years of age.....	14,385
From 20 to 30 years of age.....	74,350
From 30 to 40 years of age.....	56,131
From 40 to 50 years of age.....	33,599
From 50 to 60 years of age.....	14,941
60 years and over	4,650 198,056

VII

EDUCATION

Read and write	152,516
Read or write.....	17,193
Neither read nor write	28,347 198,056

VIII

SOCIAL RELATIONS

Single	119,150
Married	65,310
Widower	8,587
Widow	5,009 198,056

IX

OF THE 28,352 WHO COULD NOT READ OR WRITE WERE NATIVES OF

United States	12,311
Ireland	4,503
Austria	3,709
Italy	1,857
Russia	1,583
England	888
Poland	1,030
Germany	542
Hungary	554
Wales	462
Scotland	161
France	92
Canada	93
Greece	99
Switzerland	25
Holland	23
Arabia	20
Belgium	19
Rumania	45
Sweden	16
Turkey	17
West Indies	31
East Indies	9
China	9
Australia	4
Ocean	2
Spain	6
Central America	2
Mexico	91
U. S. of Columbia	1
Serbia	74
Portugal	4
Unknown	12
Bulgaria	4
Finland	5
Assyria	15
Syria	7
Porto Rico	4
Jerusalem	1
Albania	4
Cuba	1
Croatia	8
Africa	1
Zecho-Slovakia	2
Lithuania	6
	28,352

X

HABITS OF LIFE

Abstinent	21,260
Moderate drinker	57,066
Occasionally intemperate	85,897
Intemperate	33,799
Drug addict	34 198,056

XI

COLOR

White males	142,530
Colored males	32,003
White females	19,073
Colored females	4,450 198,056

XII

TOTAL NUMBER OF PRISONERS RECEIVED SINCE THE ORGANIZATION OF THE WORKHOUSE AND FROM WHAT LOCALITIES

Received from August 6, 1869 to December 31, 1923:

From Pittsburgh	155,475
From in Allegheny county.....	24,388
From other counties.....	13,736 193,599

Received during 1924:

From Pittsburgh	2,286
From in Allegheny county.....	1,302
From other counties.....	869 4,457
	198,056

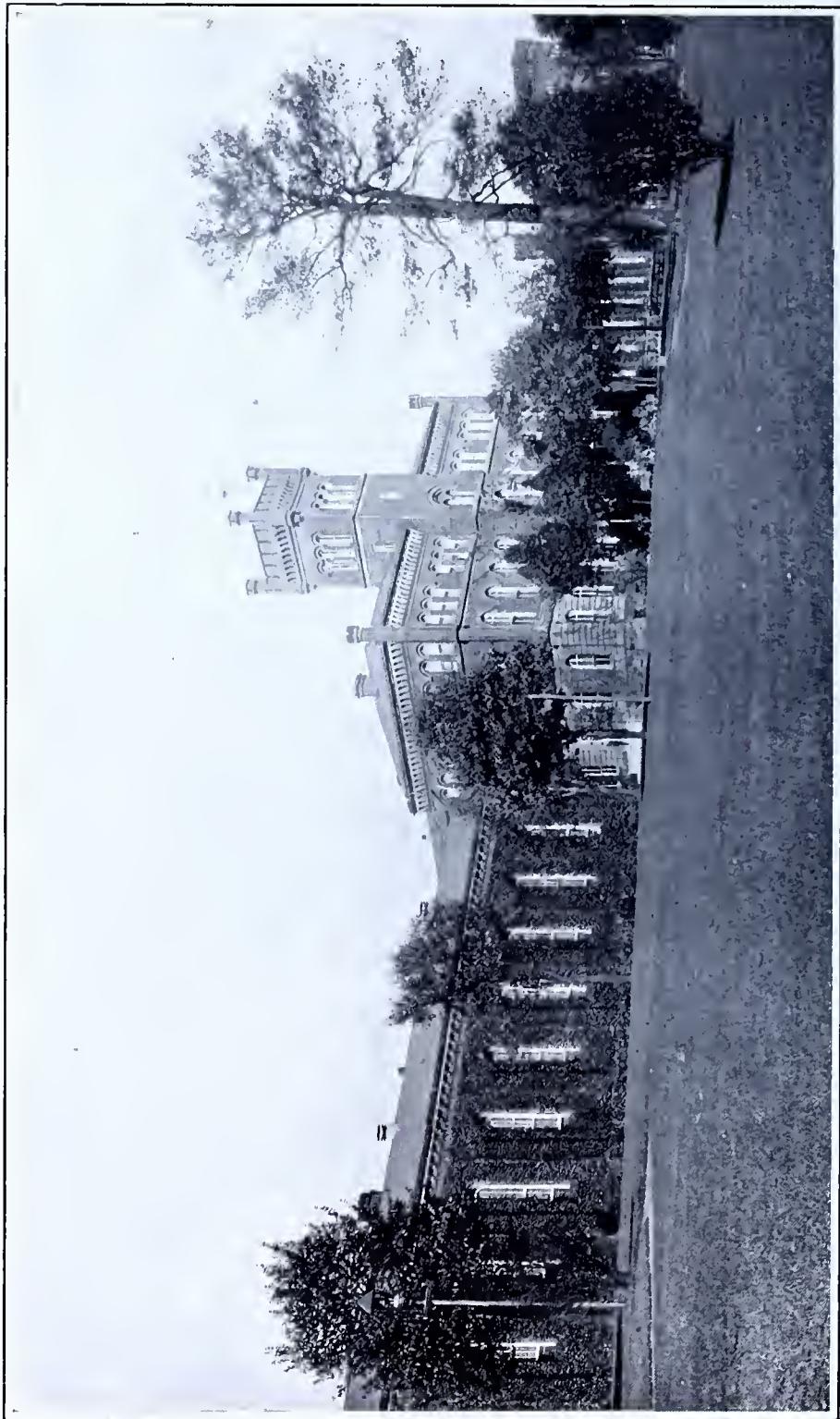
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NUMBER OF DEATHS SINCE THE ORGANIZATION OF THE WORKHOUSE

Tuberculosis	96	Diabetes	1
Pneumonia	83	Gastritis	1
Debility	28	Opium eating	1
Heart disease	38	Inflammation of bowels.....	1
Delirium tremens	22	Vegetable poisoning	1
Typhoid fever	23	Operation on neck.....	1
Chronic alcoholism	18	Intussusception of bowels	1
Suicide	16	Endocarditis	3
Epilepsy	9	Bright's disease	1
Dropsy	8	Chronic bronchitis	2
Asthma	9	Catarrahial enteritis	1
Phthisis	7	Exhaustion from morphine	2
Apoplexy	10	Cellulitis	1
Small pox	6	Meningitis	2
Hemorrhage	7	Anemia	1
Accident	5	Cholositis	2
Peritonitis	4	Poisoning	1
Nephritis	5	Aortic aneurysm	1
Syphilis	6	Cancer	1
Congestion of brain	2	Carcinoma of stomach	2
Fracture of skull	3	Leukimia	1
Convulsions	2	Cirrhosis of liver	2
Cholera morbus	2	Arteriosclerosis	1
Scarlet fever	1	Acute indigestion	1
Cerebro spinal meningitis.....	1	Influenza	1
Erysipelas	2	Pulmonary tuberculosis	10
Tetanus	1	Lobar pneumonia	3
Emphysema	1	Dilated heart	3
Ovarian tumor	1	Drowned	1
Chronic diorrhea	1	Chronic myocarditis	2
Ulceration of bowels.....	1	Tubercular meningitis	1
Hemoptysis	1		

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ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE

Fifty-Sixth Annual Report
of the Managers of the
Allegheny County Workhouse
and Inebriate Asylum

For the Year 1925
PENNSYLVANIA

ILLUSTRATIONS

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ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE

Railroad and Express Office
PARKVIEW, WEST PENN'A R. R.
Eight miles north of Allegheny Station

Post Office
BLAWNOX, ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENN'A

Long Distance Bell Telephone { 0124 Sterling
{ 52 Oakmont

OFFICERS

BOARD OF MANAGERS

JOHN A. BELL, Carnegie.....	President
SAMUEL R. KELLY, Pittsburgh.....	Vice President
W. J. ZAHNISER, Pittsburgh.....	Secretary
WILLIAM S. LINDERMAN, Pittsburgh	
W. C. REITZ, Pittsburgh	
A. H. LESLIE.....	Superintendent
REV. WM. M. BUZZA.....	Chaplain
L. T. MITCHELL, M. D.	Physician
ROBERT R. CHALMERS.....	Clerk
COLONIAL TRUST CO., Pittsburgh.....	Treasurer

MANAGERS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE

From the Beginning

*George R. White.....	1866 to 1874	*Wm. Hill	1888 to 1891
*George Albree	1866 to 1873	John A. Bell	1891
*Robert H. Davis.....	1866 to 1867	Hugh Kennedy	1895 to 1902
*Hugh S. Fleming.....	1866 to 1870	*John Way, Jr.	1895 to 1902
*Felix R. Brunot.....	1866 to **	*W. E. Harrison.....	1896 to 1903
*Wm. S. Bissell.....	1866 to 1871	*W. H. Seif.....	1900 to 1903
*James Kelly	1867 to 1879	*George A. Chalfant....	1902 to 1904
*J. P. Fleming.....	1870 to 1878	*Charles Donnelly	1903 to 1903
*W. J. Anderson	1872 to 1873	*John W. Crawford	1903 to 1909
*Richard Hays.....	1874 to 1875	*John F. Steel.....	1903 to 1917
*Hugh McNeill	1874 to 1886	*Thomas B. Riter	1903 to 1907
*C. J. Schultz	1875 to 1879	*Charles Donnelly	1904 to 1906
*G. W. Hailman.....	1875 to 1878	*W. H. Seif.....	1907 to 1911
*J. W. Shaw	1878 to 1881	W. C. Tibby	1907 to 1910
*D. C. White.....	1879 to 1880	W. J. Zahniser.....	1909
*Hugh S. Fleming.....	1879 to 1887	*Jos. T. Nevin	1910 to 1919
*John Moorhead	1880 to **	W. C. Tibby.....	1911 to 1912
*John Birmingham	1881 to 1885	Samuel R. Kelly.....	1912
*August Ammon	1881 to 1888	A. H. Willet.....	1917 to 1918
*Addison Lysle	1881 to 1894	Walter A. Dearth.....	1919 to 1921
*W. A. Magee.....	1886 to 1899	*W. H. Seif	1919 to 1921
*C. G. Donnell.....	1887 to 1895	Cameron C. Smith.....	1921 to 1925
C. C. Hax.....	1888 to 1894	William S. Linderman	1921
		W. C. Reitz.....	1925

**These dates are not on record.

*Deceased.

LIST OF SUPERINTENDENTS

*John McDonald	1867 to 1875	*William Hill	1891 to 1896
*Henry Cordier	1870 to 1877	*Thomas P. Fleeson....	1896 to 1897
*John L. Kennedy.....	1877 to 1881	*William Hill	1897 to 1904
*Henry Warner	1882 to 1891	A. H. Leslie.....	1904

*Deceased.

MANAGER'S REPORT

Blawnox, Pa., December 31, 1925.

**TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE
ALLEGHENY PRISONS, PITTSBURGH, PA.:—**

Gentlemen :—

We herewith respectfully submit the Fifty-sixth Annual Report of the Allegheny County Workhouse, together with the special reports of the Superintendent, Chaplain, Physician and Farmer, for the year ending December 31, 1925.

Respectfully,

SAMUEL R. KELLY, Vice President.

W. J. ZAHNISER, Secretary.

SUPERINTENDENT'S
REPORT
1925



SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Blawnox, Pa., December 31st, 1925.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE
ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE AND INEBRIATE
ASYLUM:

Gentlemen:

I herewith beg to submit the Fifty-sixth Annual Report of the Allegheny County Workhouse and Inebriate Asylum, for the year ending December 31st, 1925.

Attached hereto and made part of the report, are the financial exhibit, operations of the industrial departments, statistical tables, reports from the chaplain, the medical department and the farm deputy, and you are referred thereto for detailed information.

During the past year the 2nd section of the new Factory Building has been erected, and the excavations for the 3rd section has been completed. If the weather is not too severe we will continue concreteing on the 3rd section, and hope to have the entire building completed before Summer.

The retaining wall at the river is being placed as rapidly as possible, and we hope to complete the work by April, 1926.

The plans, etc., of the new hospital and the necessary enlargement of the prison yard have been approved, and it is planned to push the work as soon as the river wall and new factory building are completed.

While the number of committments were not as large as 1924, the average daily population was 995. The largest previous average daily population was 1924 which was 955.

I give you below in condensed form the movement of the population for the year, the cash balances on hand, the daily average population, and the daily average cost of each inmate:

Number of prisoners in confinement December 31st, 1924.....1023

Number of prisoners received from January 1st, 1925 to

December 31st, 1925 inclusive..... 380⁴

4827

Discharged by expiration of sentence..... 3026

Discharged by order of Court..... 477

Discharged by commutation of time 112

Discharged by Governor's pardon..... 1

Discharged by parole 208

Escaped without recapture 2

Died 9

Removed to hospital for insane..... 7 3842

Number in confinement December 31st, 1925..... 985

The financial report shows the total receipts, including balance carried over from last year to be.....\$653,820.24
 The total expenditures were..... 502,712.36
 Balance on hand December 31st, 1925..... 151,107.88
 The earnings from all sources were..... 192,544.29
 The daily average population was..... 995 29/365
 The daily average cost of each inmate was..... 77.46
 The daily average cost of each inmate after deducting earnings was 24.45
 The number of days board furnished prisoners during 1925 was 363,204

As a matter of information, we herewith attach a comparative statement showing the committments of the various offenses for the past seven years.

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925
Assault and Battery.....	45	19	34	37	32	36	23
Aggravated Assault and Battery.....	35	13	31	33	40	49	40
Felonious Assault and Battery.....	60	46	64	57	66	79	78
Being a Common Prostitute.....	79	13	21	5	7	4	4
Disorderly Conduct	384	167	232	251	291	649	476
Drunkenness	161	28	77	126	322	344	384
Larceny, etc.	230	285	177	153	131	177	202
Non-Support	74	12	56	54	32	81	62
Suspicious Person	1,131	900	1,206	685	841	1,283	1126
Vagrancy	635	322	823	449	534	593	326
Violating Liquor Laws.....				298	351	477	369
Miscellaneous	594	208	635	689	695	685	714
	3,428	2,013	3,356	2,837	3,342	4,457	3,804

The total number of days work performed by the inmates during the year was:

In shops and factories	122,653
In engine room, boiler and pump station	7,240
In library, cells, bath, barber shop, kitchen, tailer shop and laundry	59,750
In garden, greenhouse and farm.....	19,007
In hauling coal and about prison.....	17,638
In labor hired out	78
Teams on farm	2,015
Teams on coal, etc., other than building material.....	2,089
On River Wall—new	
Common labor	2,716
On New Shop—2nd Section	
Common labor	7,520
Employees and skilled labor	2,272
Teams	334
On New Shop—3rd Section	
Common labor	3,717
Employees and skilled labor	875
Teams	181
In residence, sewing and knitting rooms, female.....	14,509
Total days work of inmates.....	257,975

Total days unemployed of inmates, including Sunday, Legal Holidays and unemployment of inmates physically and mentally unfit to perform manual labor	105,229
Average number of inmates employed per day.....	860
Average number of inmates unemployed per day, consisting of inmates physically and mentally un- fit to perform manual labor.....	135

In conclusion I wish to extend my thanks to the Board of Managers, and also to the Officers and Employees, for a very successful year. Without their hearty co-operation the success attained would have been impossible.

A. H. LESLIE, Superintendent.

COMPARATIVE STATISTICS FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS—TABLE A.

YEAR	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	Average for ten years 1916-1925
Number of day's board furnished prisoners . . .	262,345	307,913	263,703	265,503	157,757	265,100	272,391	277,920	349,593	363,204	278,543
Daily average of inmates	716	843	722	727	431	726	746	761	955	995	762
Daily average cost of each inmate	\$.5669	\$.7014	\$.8140	\$.9214	\$ 1.38	\$.9743	\$.8186	\$.885	\$.7289	\$.7746	\$.8569
Earnings from labor or business with outside parties	\$ 111,290	\$ 155,255	\$ 130,516	\$ 168,110	\$ 180,308	\$ 119,784	\$ 173,606	\$ 194,265	\$ 185,789	\$ 192,544	\$ 161,147
Daily average cost per inmate, deducting earnings . . . . .	.1427	.1972	.3191	.2882	.2311	.5224	.1813	.1861	.1975	.2445	.2510
Gratuities to prisoners	\$ 580.75	\$ 522.65	\$ 557.07	\$ 157.55	\$ 195.50	\$ 398.35	\$ 1,089.53	\$ 721.00	\$ 1740.88	\$ 1,762.50	\$ 772.58
Outside work done by prisoners	\$ 161.40	\$ 1,594.54	\$ 1,057.92	\$ 2,923.82	\$ 1,386.97	\$ 763.32	\$ 661.24	\$ 437.60	\$ 631.87	\$ 813.92	\$ 1,043.20
Earnings by overwork of prisoners	\$ 951.36	\$ 1,056.40	\$ 1,402.64	\$ 1,430.36	\$ 1,806.19	\$ 1,753.45	\$ 1,102.79	\$ 833.13	\$ 786.16	\$ 611.25	\$ 1,173.37

SOURCES OF INCOME AND AMOUNTS RECEIVED FOR LAST TEN YEARS—TABLE B.

YEAR	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	Average for ten years
											1916-1925
Farm and Garden	\$ 13,713	\$ 14,754	\$ 12,818	\$ 18,168	\$ 16,549	\$ 10,149	\$ 9,731	\$ 11,250	\$ 11,285	\$ 9,387	\$ 12,780.00
Brushes	1,718	4,263	3,551	4,763	4,433	4,953	385	— 1,387	— 304	— 129	2,225.00
Brooms	23,786	48,233	32,178	40,218	52,563	364	29,464	31,101	30,095	29,254	31,726
Carpets	6,110	2,028	8,036	5,282	3,069	1,654	1,365	7,979	1,950	1,224	3,870
Chairs	19,231	24,406	15,137	36,542	50,255	34,223	36,145	32,661	28,091	29,382	30,609
Boarding Prisoners	36,269	49,030	44,525	46,664	33,942	53,136	79,678	87,382	96,287	109,212	63,613
Blacksmith Shop	76	69	122	116	76	58	35	70	24	6	65
Shoe and Tailor Shop	972	1,214	774	719	719	480	407	418	465	340	651
Laundry	753	485	480	375	30	2,117	3,164	1,342	1,756	285	1,079



INMATES GATHERING POTATOES

FINANCIAL
REPORT
1925

STATEMENT
of the
CASH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
of the
ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE

From January 1st, 1925 to December 31st, 1925, both dates inclusive

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand January 1st, 1925.....	\$146,933.34
Cash received from County Treasurer for improvements for 1925	80,000.00
Cash received from County Treasurer for general mainte- nance of prison for 1925.....	125,000.00
Cash received from County Commissioners of Allegheny County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to L. M. Fagan, probation officer.....	3,766.10
Cash received from County Commissioners of Beaver County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prison- ers to C. A. Moore, probation officer.....	581.75
Cash received from County Commissioners of Armstrong County, refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to W. C. McGregor, Probation officer.....	193.05
Cash received from County Commissioners of Clarion County, refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prison- ers to Lloyd F. Weaver, Probation Officer.....	57.85
Cash received from County Commissioners of Fayette County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prison- ers to Charles W. Baer, probation officer.....	451.75
Cash received from County Commissioners of Mercer County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prison- ers to Rev. T. K. Thompson, probation officer.....	118.30
Cash received from County Commissioners of Jefferson County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to Blake E. Irwin, probation officer.....	269.10
Cash received from County Commissioners of Somerset County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prisoners to Ira Friedline, probation officer.....	486.85
Cash received from County Commissioners of Erie County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prison- ers to Mrs. J. H. Williams, Probation officer.....	74.10
Cash received from County Commissioners of Butler County refunding amount paid for earnings of non-support prison- ers to Dean D. Thompson, probation officer.....	447.85
Cash received for Interest on daily balances.....	\$ 4,329.64

Cash received from other Counties for maintenance of their prisoners	\$108,430.95
From hired labor of prisoners and employees.....	813.92
From blacksmithing, horseshoeing, gasfitting, etc.....	6.85
From Laundry work	6,801.72
From officers and Notary fees.....	121.10
From freight, railroad fares and telephone charges refunded	1,831.81
From interest on notes and accounts	13.27
From refund a/c automobile insurance damage.....	452.48
From refund cement sacks returned.....	1,573.03
From sales natural gas and coal.....	1,584.64
From sales scrap metal, rags, old barrels and brick.....	541.06
From sales pipe, glass, paint, etc.....	113.51
From sales live stock	1,256.30
From sales provisions and kraut	469.92
From sales farm products and flowers.....	9,387.41
From sales screens and repairs by carpenter.....	168.75
From sales Shoes, repairing shoes and clothing.....	340.46
From sale of brooms	88,493.08
From sale of chairs	55,359.97
From sale of rag carpets and rugs	9,344.90
From sale of brushes	17.64
From contents of contribution box	15.93
From Rent	63.00
From refund freight on flour	220.82
From Westmoreland County for physician's services	10.00
From refund acct. salaries	10.33
From $\frac{1}{2}$ cost of new fence (Powers)	177.68
From amount deposited to Special Account	3,490.03

	\$653,820.24

EXPENDITURES

EXTRAORDINARY

New Factory Building—Section No. 1 For material and Labor	\$ 1,305.68
New Factory Building—Section No. 2 For Material and Labor..... \$48,596.20 Architect's Fees 4,000.00	52,596.20
New Factory Building—Section No. 3 For Material and Labor	16,755.53
Retaining Wall at River For Material and Labor.....	4,042.12
Boundary Fence on Farm For Material	366.98
New Hot Water System For Material	671.96
Improvements in Farm House, Bath, etc.....	215.38

	\$ 75,953.85

CURRENT EXPENSES

For Broom Corn and other material and expenses.....	\$ 66,829.18
For freight paid on material and manufactured brooms.....	8,011.27
For wages of employees in broom factory.....	2,139.34
For overwork paid prisoners for making brooms.....	561.34
For cotton and woolen warp, new rags, etc. for carpet.....	10,628.87
For freight paid on same.....	222.65
For wages to employees in carpet shop.....	1,911.84
For dowels, paper, rattan, varnish, etc. for chair factory.....	34,608.55
For freight paid on same	1,354.87
For wages of employees in chair factory.....	2,322.64
For overwook paid prisoners for making chairs.....	49.91
For soap, etc. for laundry.....	3,996.07
For wages of employees in laundry.....	2,490.00
For amount transferred to Special Account.....	3,490.03
For legal services	1,064.90
For miscellaneous machinery	278.87
For chauffeur license	4.62
For General freight, express, railroad tickets and fares.....	3,514.72
For gratuities given prisoners	1,762.50
For salaries and wages	136,757.03
For traveling expenses	382.60
For boiler and water inspection	375.00
For telephone and telegraph	337.49
For library, stationery, postage, etc.....	2,049.82
For expenses conveying and capturing prisoners	25.00
For fire insurance	5,798.56
For general repairs to building, machinery, etc.....	19,068.29
For oil, benzine, gasoline, etc.	1,120.26
For farm tools, seeds, fertilizers, etc.	9,324.32
For live stock	172.82
For hardware and tools	388.54
For coal and gas	30,080.16
For photo materials	146.09
For drugs and medicines	2,985.26
For clothing and bedding	7,063.20
For material used in power loom	3,255.3 ¹
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Allegheny County	3,519.10
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Beaver County	699.40
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Armstrong County	196.95
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Clarion County	57.85
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Fayette County	444.60
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Jefferson County	265.85
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Mercer County	84.50
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Somerset County	523.90
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Butler County	441.35
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Erie County	94.90
For earnings of non-support prisoners of Westmorelnd County	10.00
For water rent	203.52
For shoes, leather and findings	4,999.84
For flour	23,881.38
For beef and fish	13,303.62
For groceries and provisions	9,277.76
For feed for horses, cows, etc.	4,181.34

Cash in hands of Treasurer:—	
Regular Account	\$147,104.75
Special Account	12,390.42
Pay Roll Account	11,105.15
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	\$170,600.32
Cash and checks in Office	1,594.89
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	\$172,195.21
Less Warrants outstanding	21,087.33
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	151,107.88
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	\$653,820.24

**STATEMENT
of the
OPERATIONS OF THE SEVERAL BUSINESS
DEPARTMENTS**

BROOM FACTORY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1st, 1925.....	\$ 40,772.62
To cash paid account stock purchased during the year and other expenses.....	\$ 74,840.45
Less amount due on same for 1924.....	514.90 74,325.55
Wages paid employees	2,139.34
Earnings of prisoners overwork	561.34
Amount yet due on purchases of material.....	1.46
Material received from other departments.....	634.61
	\$ 118,434.92

Cr.

By cash received for brooms sold.....	\$ 88,493.08
Less accounts for 1924	2,462.67
	\$ 86,030.41
Stock on hand January 1st, 1926	58,452.08
Accounts of 1925 uncollected	2,018.16
Brooms used at Workhouse, 1925	1,189.06 147,689.71
Amount to credit of broom factory	\$ 29,254.79

BRUSH FACTORY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1st, 1925.....\$ 2,120.00

Cr.

By cash received for brushes sold.....	\$ 17.64
By stock on hand January 1st, 1926.....	1,851.75
By accounts of 1925 uncollected.....	63.15
Brushes used at the Workhouse.....	58.00
	1,990.54
Balance to debit of brush factory.....	\$ 129.46

CARPET FACTORY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1st, 1925.....	\$ 19,056.06
To cash paid on account of stock purchased during the year and other expenses.....	\$ 10,851.52
Less amount due on same for 1924	4,442.20
	6,409.32
To wages paid employees	1,911.84
To amount due on material purchased	14.58
	\$27,391.80

Cr.

By cash received for carpet and rugs.....	\$ 9,344.90
Less accounts for 1924	2,501.79
	\$ 6,843.11
By stock on hand January 1st, 1926	19,138.20
By accounts of 1925 uncollected	2,634.96
	28,616.27
Balance to credit of the carpet shop	\$ 1,224.47

CHAIR FACTORY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1st, 1925	\$ 67,343.13
To cash paid on account of stock during the year and other expenses	\$ 35,963.42
Less amount due on same for the year 1924.....	3,121.44
	32,841.98
Wages paid employees	2,322.64
To earnings of prisoners for overwork	49.91
To amount yet due on material purchased.....	221.01
Material from other departments	69.18
	\$102,847.85

Cr.

By cash received for chairs	\$ 55,359.97
Less accounts for 1924	14,191.97
	41,168.00
Stock on hand January 1st, 1926.....	70,439.96
By accounts of 1925 uncollected	19,996.98
By material furnished other departments	625.71
	132,230.65
Balance to the credit of the chair factory	\$ 29,382.80

LAUNDRY

Dr.

To stock on hand January 1st, 1925	\$	702.96
To cash paid on account of stock during the year and other expenses	\$	3,996.07
Less amount due on same for 1924	28.37	3,967.70
Wages paid employees		2,490.00
To material received from other departments		80.26
		\$ 7,240.92

Cr.

By cash received for laundry work	\$	6,801.72
Less accounts for 1924		153.75
		\$ 6,647.97
By stock on hand January 1st, 1926.....		847.60
By accounts for 1925 uncollected	30.56	7,526.13
Balance to credit of laundry.....		\$ 285.21

OTHER COUNTIES FOR BOARDING PRISONERS

By cash received from other Counties having agreements with the Allegheny County Work House for boarding prisoners	\$108,430.95
Less accounts for 1924	52,629.70
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	\$ 55,801.25
Accounts for 1925 uncollected	53,411.00
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Revenue from this source for 1925	\$109,212.25

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS OF REVENUE

Received for hired labor of prisoners.....	\$ 813.92
Received for blacksmithing and gas fitting	6.85
Received for officers and notaries fees	121.10
Received for railroad fares and telephone tolls refunded	2,052.63
Received for interest on daily balances	4,329.64
Received for interest on notes and accounts	13.27
Received from contents of contribution box.....	15.93
Received from insurance claims	452.48
Received from sale of farm products, plants, etc.	9,387.41
Received from sale of live stock	1,256.30
Received from sale of provisions and kraut.....	469.92
Received from sale of shoes and repairing.....	340.46
Received from sale of scrap metal, rags, old bricks, barrels....	541.06
Received from sale of coal and gas.....	1,584.64
Received from sale of screen and other articles, and repairs by carpenter	168.75
Received for refund account empty cement sacks.....	1,573.03
Received from sale of sundry articles	176.51
Received from refund a/c salaries	10.33
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	\$ 23,314.23

RECAPITULATION OF BUSINESS REVENUE

From broom factory	\$ 29,254.79
From carpet factory	1,224.47
From Chair factory	29,382.80
From Laundry	285.21
Ffom other counties for boarding prisoners	109,212.25
From miscellaneous items	23,314.23
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	\$192,673.75
Brush shop deficit	129.46
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	\$192,544.29

SUMMARY

The expenses of the institution for the year ending December 31st, 1925 were:—

For food consumed	\$ 46,462.76
For clothing and bedding in use and consumed	15,318.38
Salaries	136,757.03
Repairs and insurance	24,866.85
Other expenses	57,946.84
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	\$281,351.86

The number of days board furnished prisoners during the year of 1925 were	363,204
The daily average of inmates were	995 29/365
The daily average cost of each inmate was .....	.77.46
The earnings from labor and business of the institution conducted with outside parties were	192,544.29
The daily average cost of each inmate after deducting earnings was .....	.24.45

GENERAL STATEMENT

	Dr.	Cr.
REAL ESTATE		
Consisting of farm, buildings, etc., and general improve- ments as per last report.....	\$2,276,634.51	
Additions and Betterments		
New factory building 1st sect- ion:		
Materials \$ 909.68		
Hired labor 396.00	1,305.68	
New factory building 2nd sect- ion:		
Materials \$29,089.46		
Less credit, empty cement sacks, etc..... 1,573.03		
	\$27,516.43	
Architect's fees 4,000.00		
Hired labor 19,506.74	51,023.17	
In addition there is to be charged to this improvement, 7520 days prison labor @ \$1.50 per day \$11,280.00		
334 days teams @ \$2.00.... 668.00		
	\$11,948.00	
New factory building 3rd Sect- ion:		
Materials \$ 6,322.03		
Hired labor 10,433.50	16,755.53	
In addition there is to be charged to this improvement, 3717 days prison labor @ \$1.50.....\$5,575.50		
181 days teams @ \$2.00.... 362.00		
	\$5,937.50	
Total cost of New Factory Building to date:		
For cash expended ....\$129,755.55		
Teams and labor furnished 35,340.00		
	<u>\$165,095.55</u>	

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
Retaining Wall at river		
Materials \$4,042.12	4,042.12	
In addition there is to be charged to this improvement, 2,716 days labor @ \$1.50 4,074.00		
Total cost of Retaining Wall to date: ..		
For cash expended...\$ 6,571.56		
Labor and teams furnished 6,750.00		
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	\$13,321.56	
Boundary Fence on Farm		
Materials \$366.98		
Less other property holder 303.37	63.61	
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New Hot Water System		
Materials \$671.96	671.96	
Improvement in Farm Residence		
Bath, etc. \$215.38	215.38	
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	\$2,350,711.96	
Increase in valuation.....		\$ 74,077.45
 MACHINERY AND BOILER		
Last report 43,923.13		
Electric Drill 278.87		
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	44,202.00	
Less 10% Depreciation..... 4,420.20		
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	\$ 39,781.80	
Decrease in valuation .. .		\$ 4,141.33

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
LIVE STOCK		
Last valuation	\$ 12,211.00	
Present valuation	12,905.00	
 Increase in valuation		\$ 694.00
VEHICLES, TWO AND FOUR WHEELED		
Last valuation	\$ 7,877.00	
Present valuation	6,445.00	
 Decrease in valuation		\$ 1,432.00
BUILDING MATERIAL		
Last valuation	\$ 2,109.81	
Present valuation	3,220.32	
 Increase in valuation		\$ 1,110.51
MISCELLANEOUS STOCK		
Of goods in store for the general use of the prison which have not been in use:		
Last valuation	\$ 53,412.77	
Present valuation:		
Lime, coal & cement..	\$ 9,427.80	
Paint and glass.....	1,575.17	
Material for use of plumber, blacksmith, etc.	3,061.18	
Dry goods, clothing, shoes	16,339.26	
Brushes, combs, and stationery	1,788.78	
Hardware	2,138.00	
Oats, Hay and straw	9,593.29	
Flour, groceries and provisions	14,618.94	
Drugs and medicine..	600.00	
Power loom material	2,400.42	\$ 61,542.84
 Increase in valuation		\$ 8,130.07

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN BROOM FACTORY		
Last valuation	\$ 40,772.62	
Present valuation	58,452.08	<hr/>
Increase in valuation.....		\$ 17,679.46
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN BRUSH FACTORY		
Last valuation	\$ 2,121.00	
Present valuation	1,851.75	<hr/>
Decrease in valuation	\$	269.25
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN CARPET FACTORY		
Last valuation	\$19,056.06	
Present valuation	19,138.20	<hr/>
Increase in valuation.....		\$ 82.14
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN CHAIR FACTORY		
Last valuation	\$67,343.13	
Present valuation	70,439.96	<hr/>
Increase in valuation		\$ 3,096.83
GENERAL STOCK FOR USE IN LAUNDRY		
Last valuation	\$ 702.96	
Present valuation	847.60	<hr/>
Increase in valuation		\$ 144.64

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

Cr.

**BOOK ACCOUNTS DUE THE
WORK HOUSE**

Last report	\$ 72,963.18
Present report:	
For Brooms	\$ 2,018.16
For Brushes	63.15
For Carpet	2,634.96
For Chairs	19,996.98
For Laundry	30.56
For maintenance of prisoners	53,411.00
Sundry items	1,075.94 \$79,230.75
Increased valuation	\$ 6 267.57

**BOOK ACCOUNTS DUE BY THE
WORK HOUSE**

Last Report	\$ 13,782.22
Present report:	
Acct. broom factory.....	\$ 1.46
Acct. carpet factory.....	14.58
Acct. chair factory.....	221.01
Acct. miscellaneous	1,842.99 2,080.04
Decreased valuation	\$ 11,702.18

BILLS RECEIVABLE ON HAND

Last report	\$ 00.00
On hand present report.....	189.10
Increased valuation	\$ 189.10

GENERAL STATEMENT—Continued

	Dr.	Cr.
RECEIVED FROM TREASURER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY		
For construction and betterment	\$ 80,000.00	
For Maintenance	\$ 125,000.00	
Received from interest on daily balances	\$ 4,329.64	
CASH ON HAND		
Last report	\$146,933.34	
Cash on hand at this date:		
On account general maintenance	151,107.88	
Increase		\$ 4,174.54
Balance deficiency, which repre- sents the amount over and above all earnings which was needed for the maintenance of the workhouse for the year 1925		\$ 87,823.73
	\$ 215,172.22	\$ 215,172.22

APPENDIX

Appropriation for 1925—Construction and betterments:

Deficit—January 1st, 1925	\$ 9,166.70
Received for the year 1925.....	80,000.00

EXPENDED

New Factory, 1st Section.....	\$ 1,305.68
New Factory, 2nd Section.....	51,023.17
New Factory, 3rd Section.....	16,755.53
New retaining wall at river.....	4,042.12
	—————
Balance deficit	\$ 2,293.20

FARM.

PRODUCTION OF THE FARM FOR 1925

Eggs—6188 doz.	Early cabbage—11 ton
Butter—3126 lbs.	Late cabbage—45 ton
Skim-milk—1760 gallons	Turnips—200 bu.
Milk—4690 gallons	Cow beets—45 ton
Butter-milk—1265 gallons	Carrots—150 bu.
Cream—434 quarts	Apples—200 bu.
Potatoes—5400 bu.	Ensilage—75 ton
Navy beans—83 bu.	Sweet corn—2677 bu.
Hay—175 ton	Field corn—3530 bu.
Alfalfa hay—73 ton	Corn fodder—123 ton
Rye—631 bu.	Veal—1300 lbs.
Wheat—1144 bu.	Pork—14888 lbs.
Straw—93 ton	Chicken—2632 lbs.
Oats—890 bu.	Pullets—673

Potato crop 1921 N.C.W.H.



POTATO CROP

STATISTICS
1925

I

STATISTICS FOR 1925

Number in confinement December 31, 1924.....	1,023
Number received during 1925.....	3,804
	4,827

OF THE ABOVE THERE WERE

Discharged by expiration of sentence.....	3,026
Discharged by order of court.....	477
Discharged by commutation of time.....	112
Discharged by governor's pardon.....	1
Discharged by parole.....	208
Escaped without recapture.....	2
Died	9
Removed to hospital for insane.....	7
	3,842

LEAVING IN CONFINEMENT DECEMBER 31, 1925

Males, white	598
Males, colored	343 941
	—
Females, white	15
Females, colored	29 44
	—
	985

II

THE NUMBER RECEIVED EACH MONTH WAS

	Males	Females	Total
January	279	17	296
February	330	12	342
March	358	18	376
April	390	19	409
May	345	20	365
June	354	16	370
July	241	12	253
August	210	8	218
September	322	20	342
October	251	15	266
November	277	15	292
December	249	26	275
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Totals	3,606	198	3,804

III

THE NUMBER IN CONFINEMENT AT END OF EACH
MONTH WAS

	Males	Females	Total
January	933	50	983
February	952	46	998
March	1,022	49	1,071
April	1,034	50	1,084
May	979	48	1,027
June	1,006	49	1,055
July	912	46	958
August	850	45	895
September	917	49	966
October	873	45	918
November	956	49	1,005
December	941	44	985
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IV

**OF THE 3,804 PRISONERS RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR,
THERE WAS COMMITTED BY**

By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Allegheny County	61
By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Fayette County	6
By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Westmoreland County	1
By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Beaver County	1
By the Court of Oyer and Terminer, Somerset County	1
By the County Court of Allegheny County.....	50
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Allegheny County	417
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Fayette County	66
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Westmoreland County	42
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Lawrence County	71
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Erie County	18
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Washington County	86
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Indiana County	17
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Elk County	1
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Beaver County	49
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Jefferson County	12
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Armstrong County	26
By the Quarter Sessions Court of McKean County	1
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Clinton County	1
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Butler County	63
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Crawford County	28
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Mercer County	70
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Clarion County	4
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Cameron County.....	3
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Greene County	15
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Forest County	3
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Warren County	13
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Venango County	16
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Potter County	3
By the Quarter Sessions Court of Somerset County	24
By C. W. Houston, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	52
By J. A. Staley, Jr., Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	13
By George H. England, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	283
By E. M. Hough, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	830
By B. L. Succop, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	10
By Ralph E. Smith, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	435
By Tensard De Wolf, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	61
By Leo Rothenberg, Police Magistrate of Pittsburgh, Pa.....	312
By Justice of Peace, Allegheny County	586
By Justice of Peace, Washington County	17
By Justice of Peace, Fayette County	2
By Justice of Peace, Mercer County	30
By Justice of Peace, Venango County	4

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CRIME OR OFFENSE

Abusing family	51	Escape	3
Adultery	13	Extortion	2
Adultery and bastardy	2	Enticing female child.....	1
Arson	3	Exhibiting obscene matter.....	1
Assault	2	Entering building, larceny, and receiving stolen goods	72
Assault indecent	3	Entering building to com- mit felony	1
Assault felonious	1	False Pretense	19
Assault and pointing fire- arms	23	Forgery	13
Assault and battery	Fornication and adultery.....	1	
Assault and battery aggra- vated	40	Fornication and bastardy.....	5
Assault and battery felonio- us	78	Fraud	5
Assault and battery—intent to rape	15	Fraudulently making and uttering usurious instru- ment	1
Assault and battery—intent to rob	1	Gambling	1
Assault and battery—intent to kill	1	Habitual drunkard	7
Assault and battery—intent to commit sodomy	1	Interfering with officer	1
Attempt to commit larceny	3	Indecent exposure	2
Attempt to commit robbery	2	Involuntary manslaughter	4
Attempt to commit rape	1	Keeping bawdy house	4
Accessory to violation of pa- role	3	Keeping disorderly house	38
Bigamy	1	Keeping gambling house.....	3
Burglary	7	Larceny—petty	1
Being a common prostitute	4	Larceny	118
Breaking and entering building	18	Larceny from person	6
Carrying concealed weapons	32	Larceny by bailee	1
Conspiracy	3	Larceny and receiving stol- en goods	77
Counterfeiting	1	Loitering	6
Counterfeiting bank checks	5	Lewdness	7
Disorderly conduct	476	Lascivious behavior	2
Drunkenness	384	Mayhem	1
Drunkenness and disorder- ly conduct	25	Manslaughter	1
Desertion	2	Murder	2
Desertion and Non-support	4	Misdemeanor	21
Embezzlement	8	Making obscene pictures	1
		Neglecting family	4
		Non-support	62
		Operating car while intox- icated	5
		Perjury	1

CRIME OR OFFENSE—Continued

Pointing firearms	6	Street walking	2
Personating an officer	4	Soliciting person to commit felony	1
Pandering	1		
Professional thief	3	Soliciting person to commit sodomy	2
Rape	19		
Rape felonious	1	Selling obscene books.....	1
Rape and bastardy	3	Trespass	3
Robbery	5	Vagrancy	326
Robbery and receiving Stol- en goods	26	Vagrancy and suspicious person	1
Robbery highway	1	Vagrancy and larceny.....	1
Receiving stolen goods.....	6	Violating city or borough ordinance	133
Reckless driving	4		
Suspicious persons	1,126	Visiting disorderly house....	18
Selling, possessing, manu- facturing and transport- ing liquor unlawfully	369	Visiting gambling house	1
Sodomy	9	Violation of parole	2
Sodomy and buggery	2	Violation of auto law	5
Surety of the peace.....	1	Violating drug act	2
		Violating check laws	1
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			3,804

OCCUPATION

Actor	2
Auto Mechanic	18
Butler	1
Bartender	2
Broommaker	181
Blacksmith	1
Boiler maker	2
Baker	1
Bricklayer	1
Butcher	18
Bookkeeper	2
Bell boy	22
Brakeman	1
Barber	1
Bank Teller	1,729
Cook	5
Carpenter	1
Clerk	1
Chauffeur	127
Craneman	71
Coremaker	15
Cigarmaker	7
Conductor (R. R.).....	15
Car repairman	67
Chemist	1
Cabinet maker	6
Cement finisher	3
Chef	4
Cooper	2
Clergyman	1
Draughtsman	3
Diller	82
Dairyman	2
Dishwasher	16
Deckhand	11
Decorator	19
Demonstrator	24
Engineer	103
Electrician	8
Elevator operator	5
Fireman	3
Farmer	26
Furnace Builder	3

Poolroom Proprietor	3	Superintendent	1
Pugilist	1	Storekeeper	1
Patternmaker	1	Steeplejack	1
Roofer	7	Teamster	109
Riveter	2	Tinner	9
Restaurant Proprietor.....	1	Tailor	29
Riverman	1	Timekeeper	1
Salesman	28	Truck Driver	7
Shoemaker	19	Textile Examiner	1
Switchman	1	Upholster	3
Sailor	4	Waiter	87
Seamstress	3	Watchman	3
Stenographer	3	Wagonmaker	1
Shipper	6	Weaver	2
Structual Engineer	1	Welder	1
Steamfitter	8	Yardmaster	1

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VII

SENTENCES FOR WHICH COMMITTED

10 days	1	2 years	27
20 days	1	2 years 6 months	5
30 days	1,961	2 years 9 months	1
39 days	1	3 years	5
60 days	384	3 years 4 months	1
90 days	275	6 years	1
100 days	4	Indeterminate	75
180 days	3	30 to 60 days	3
300 days	2	60 to 120 days	1
400 days	3	1 month to 2 months	3
2 months	6	1½ months to 3 months	1
2 months 11 days	1	2 months to 4 months	16
3 months	43	3 months to 6 months	45
3 months 15 days	1	4 months to 6 months	1
4 months	46	4 months to 8 months	34
5 months	24	5 months to 10 months	12
6 months	162	6 months to 12 months	24
7 months	13	6 months to 1 year	61
8 months	42	6 months to 18 months	2
9 months	35	8 months to 16 months	6
10 months	43	8 months to 2 years	1
11 months	3	9 months to 18 months	38
11 months 25 days	1	10 months to 20 months	5
11 months 29 days	7	15 months to 30 months	1
12 months	8	12 months to 24 months	7
1 year	91	18 months to 36 months	15
1 year 60 days	1	18 months to 3 years	36
1 year 90 days	1	20 months to 4 years	1
1 year 3 months	2	1 year to 2 years	67
1 year 4 months	2	1 year to 3 years	1
1 year 6 months	15	1 year 6 months to 3 years	3
1 year 6 months 30 days	1	2 years to 3 years	4
13 months	3	2 years to 4 years	38
14 months	1	2 years 1 month to 4 years	
15 months	13	2 months	1
16 months	1	2½ years to 5 years	16
18 months	17	3 years to 6 years	17
20 months	1	4 years to 8 years	4
21 months	3	5 years to 10 years	1
27 months	1	10 years to 20 years	1

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VIII

OF THE 3804 RECEIVED THERE WERE COMMITTED FOR

The first time	2,370
The second time	761
The third time	276
The fourth time	108
The fifth time	58
The sixth time	37
The seventh time	28
The eighth time	20
The ninth time	11
The tenth time	26
The eleventh time	9
The twelfth time	20
The thirteenth time	8
The fourteenth time	10
The fifteenth time	18
The sixteenth time	5
The seventeenth time	1
The eighteenth time	1
The nineteenth time	1
The twentieth time	2
The twenty-first time	1
The twenty-second time	2
The twenty-third time	2
The twenty-fourth time	1
The twenty-fifth time	5
The twenty-sixth time	2
The twenty-seventh time	2
The twenty-eighth time	4
The twenty-ninth time	4
The thirtieth time	4
The thirty-first time	1
The fiftieth time and over	6

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IX

NATIVITY

United States	2,950
Ireland	89
Germany	19
England	15
Austria	228
Italy	96
Scotland	12
Russia	80
Wales	5
Poland	108
Hungary	17
Canada	11
France	2
Switzerland	4
Sweden	4
Greece	18
Denmark	3
West Indies	1
Norway	4
Rumania	15
Spain	7
Mexico	34
Africa	2
New Foundland	1
Portugal	1
Argentine	1
Serbia	17
Chile	1
Finland	2
Armenia	1
Bulgaria	5
Porto Rico	2
Cuba	3
Croatia	6
Jamica	2
Zecho-Slovakia	23
Lithuania	10
Jugo Slavia	3
South Sea Island	2
	3,804

X

AGE WHEN COMMITTED

Under 20 years of age.....	143
From 20 to 30 years.....	1,467
From 30 to 40 years.....	1,061
From 40 to 50 years.....	784
From 50 to 60 years.....	274
60 years and over.....	75
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	3,804

XI

PARENTAL RELATIONS

Parents living at 16 years.....	2,941
Father died before 16 years of age.....	314
Mother died before 16 years of age.....	188
Both parents died before 16 years of age.....	361
	—
	3,804

XII

EDUCATION

Read and write.....	3,111
Read or write	385
Neither read nor write.....	308
	—
	3,804

XIII

OF THE 308 THAT COULD NOT READ OR WRITE

WERE NATIVES OF

United States	140
Ireland	1
Austria	46
Italy	17
Russia	25
Poland	29
Hungary	2
Greece	6
Rumania	5
Spain	2
Mexico	9
Serbia	6
Bulgaria	1
Porto Rico	1
Cuba	2
Croatia	2
Africa	1
Zecho-Slovakia	4
Lithuania	8
Armenia	1
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	308

XIV

HABITS OF LIFE

Abstinent	758
Moderate drinker	858
Occasionally intemperate	1,956
Intemperate	226
Drug addict	6
	—
	3,804

XV

COLOR

White males	2,148
Colored males	1,458
White females	85
Colored females	113
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	3,804

XVI

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTIONS

Roman Catholic	1,610
Methodist	500
Baptist	1,258
Presbyterian	157
Lutherans	75
Episcopalian	31
Other denominations	76
No religious instructions.....	67
Jews	30
	—
	3,804

XVII

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

Unapprenticed	3,428
Apprenticed	376
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	3,804

XVIII

INMATES OF THE WORKHOUSE DECEMBER 31, 1925

Native born males.....	713
Foreign born males.....	228
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Native born females.....	39
Foreign born females.....	5
	—
	985

XIX

THE 233 FOREIGN BORN INMATES WERE RESIDENT OF PENNSYLVANIA FOR

1 year and under.....	30
2 years and under.....	6
3 years and under.....	12
4 years and under.....	5
5 years and under.....	7
6 years and under.....	8
7 years and under.....	4
8 years and under.....	5
9 years and under.....	2
10 years and under.....	12
11 years and under.....	10
12 years and under.....	9
13 years and under.....	10
14 years and under.....	12
15 years and under.....	9
16 years and under.....	8
17 years and under.....	4
18 years and under.....	5
19 years and under.....	3
20 years and under.....	7
21 years and under.....	9
22 years and under.....	5
23 years and under.....	7
24 years and under.....	5
25 years and under.....	9
26 years and under.....	4
27 years and under.....	2
28 years and under.....	1
29 years and under.....	1
30 years and over.....	22
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OF THE 233 FOREIGN BORN INMATES THERE WERE

84 RESIDENTS OF OTHER STATES BEFORE

COMING TO PENNSYLVANIA

1 year and under	14
2 years and under.....	12
3 years and under.....	10
4 years and under.....	3
5 years and under.....	7
6 years and under.....	9
7 years and under.....	6
8 years and under.....	2
9 years and under.....	3
10 years and under.....	4
11 years and under.....	1
12 years and under.....	1
13 years and under.....	5
14 years and under.....	1
15 years and under.....	2
24 years and under.....	1
25 years and under.....	1
26 years and under.....	1
29 years and under.....	1

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XXI

TABLE SHOWING LOSS AND GAIN IN POUNDS, OF PRISONERS, DURING THEIR TERM OF IMPRISONMENT

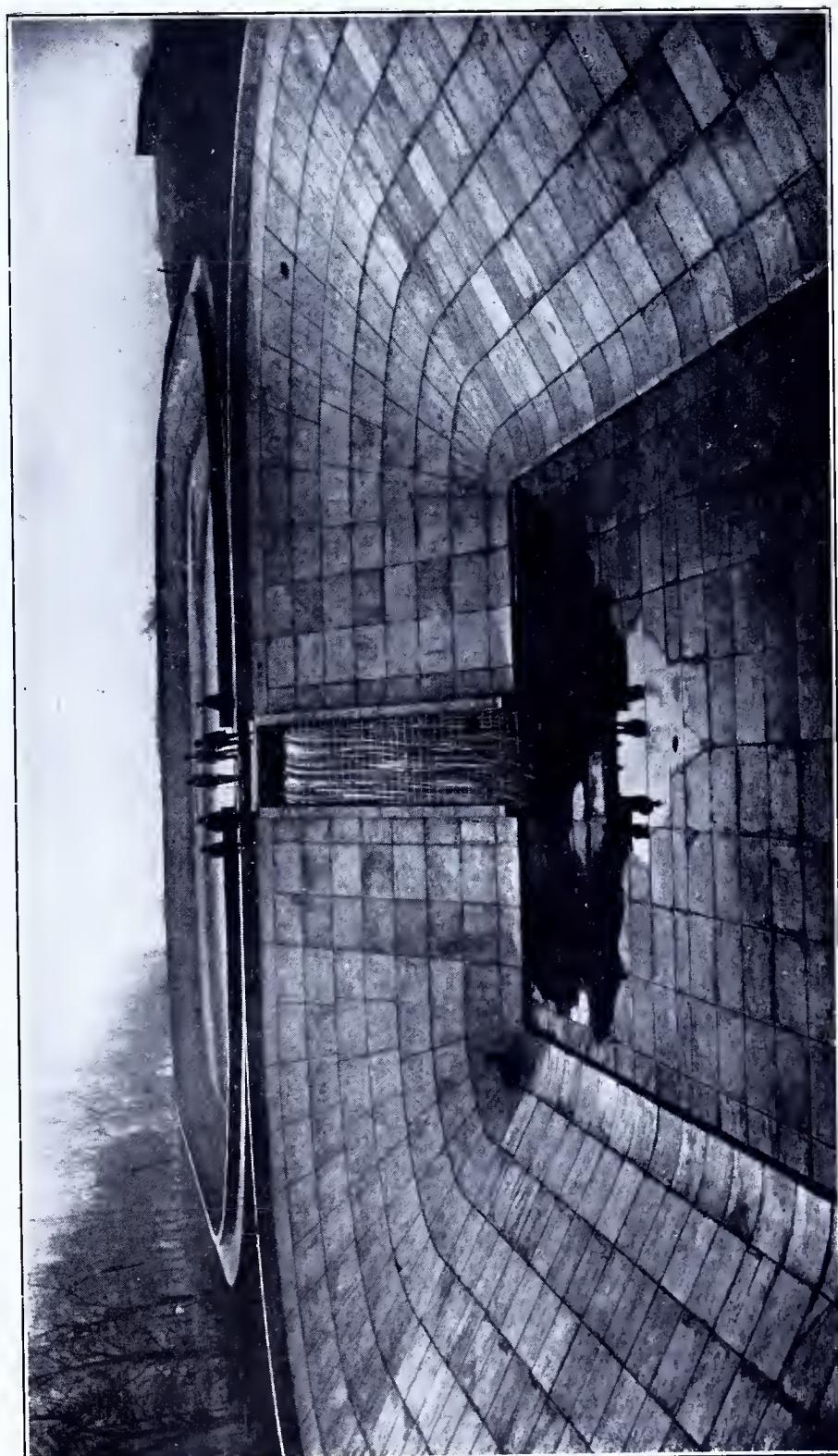
Time Imprisoned	Number Weighed	Increase	Decrease	Balance of Increase over Decrease	Average Increase over Decrease	Largest Single Increase	Largest Single Decrease
MALES							
Less than thirty days.....	349	715	332	383	1.09	17	16
From thirty to ninety days	2,082	7,539	3,653	3,916	1.88	49	38
From ninety days to six months	709	3,052	1,375	1,677	2.36	49	33
From six months to two years and over	522	1,606	2,054	-448	-.85	48	31
Total	3,662	12,942	7,414	5,523	1.51		
FEMALES							
Less than thirty days.....	36	59	36	23	.63	20	4
From thirty to ninety days	87	243	78	165	1.89	12	10
From ninety days to six months	29	145	48	97	3.34	34	25
From six months to two years and over	28	125	195	-70	-2.50	29	43
Total	180	572	357	215	1.19		
Grand Totals.....	3,842	13,514	7,771	5,743	1.49		

XXII

NUMBER OF DEATHS DURING THE YEAR

Heart Disease	1
Epilepsy	1
Nephritis	1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	3
Intestinal Obstruction	1
Acute Myelites —Posterior	1
Bronchial Pneumonia	1
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WORKHOUSE RESERVOIR



CHAPLAIN'S REPORT
1925

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

Blawnox, Pa., December 31, 1925.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF
THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE AND
INEBRIATE ASYLUM.

Gentlemen:—

I hereby respectfully submit my Twelfth Annual Report as Chaplain of the Allegheny County Workhouse and Inebriate Asylum.

It is only in a general way, that the Chaplain's work can be made the subject of report. The routine work is only a part of the many duties of the chaplain. The real distinctive work of the chaplain, in giving moral and spiritual instruction by his personal touch and conversation, is of necessity hard to make the subject of statistical report. It is the purpose of the chaplain wherever and whenever an opportunity presents itself, to give help and encouragement to the many with whom he comes in contact among the inmates. There are many calls upon his time and energy in giving aid and information upon subjects of particular interest to the individual and in attending to matters of their personal business, when they cannot attend to these matters for themselves. By this personal touch, the chaplain can learn much about the character and needs of the individual.

The chaplain's work may be considered under the three general heads:— Religious, Educational, and Recreational.

RELIGIOUS DEPARTMENT

Considerable time and energy is required upon the part of the chaplain in preparing for and conducting the religious services. Services are held regularly on the Sabbath Day, at 10:30 A. M. at which time, the chaplain preaches a sermon; and at 3:30 P. M. when the service is more informal. At the afternoon service, in addition to the address of the chaplain, a number of musical programs were given by the choir and orchestra. Mrs. H. P. Mutch has been very faithful and efficient in directing the music for the services. The programs were not only a delight to the audience, but also furnished an opportunity for self-expression to those who took part in the services. At stated times, R. H. McBride spoke and presented the work of the Parting of the Ways Home. Father F. J. Wivell has very faithfully looked after the special interests of the Catholic inmates. Members of the Salvation Army held a service on the occasion of their Prison Sunday. The chapel services have been well attended and enjoyed by all. This is specially gratifying in view of the fact that the attendance at chapel is entirely voluntary.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT

A school has been conducted three nights a week during the fall and winter months, with good attendance and encouraging results.

The Library has been a great educational force. A large number of books on various subjects have been read. The bindery, which is under the supervision of the chaplain, in connection with the library, has been a very busy place and has turned out a large amount of work. During the year 2,963 books have been repaired and 20 new volumes have been bound. In accomplishing this work, we have been very fortunate in having the services of a professional book-binder who is an inmate of the institution. At the present time we have an inmate assisting in the bindery as an apprentice, who we hope will be able to carry on the work when the present bookbinder leaves the institution. In the near future, we expect to have all the books of the library in good condition.

In connection with the library, during the year, we have distributed thousands of secular and religious papers and magazines.

RECREATIONAL DEPARTMENT

Every two weeks during the fall and winter months, we have had either a Moving Picture or Musical Program. At each of these programs, our own orchestra furnished music to the delight of all. During the season, we were delightfully entertained by the Shriner's Chorus and the Tuesday Musical Society of Pittsburgh. On the Fourth of July, the inmates gave a high grade Vaudeville Performance in the prison yard. Athletic Sports were also a part of the day's program.

SPECIAL SERVICES

Washington's Birthday.....	Address by Rev. John W. King
Memorial Day.....	Address by Rev. A. G. Curry
Independance Day.....	Address by Rev. C. M. Hartung
Thanksgiving Day.....	Address by Rev. A. C. Saxman
Christmas Day.....	Address by Rev. C. J. Thompson

In connection with the routine work, the chaplain handled thousands of incoming and outgoing letters. During the year, \$10,110.50 in the form of checks, Post Office money orders, and cash was received and credited to the account of the inmates.

In closing this report, I wish to thank the Board of Managers, the Superintendent Mr. A. H. Leslie, and the officers for their co-operation in the work of the department.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. M. BUZZA,
Chaplain.

WORKHOUSE FARM BUILDINGS



PHYSICIAN'S REPORT
1925

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT

Blawnox, Pa., December 31st, 1925.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE AND INEBRIATE ASYLUM.

Gentlemen:

The following reports of the Medical Department for the year ending December 31st, 1925 is respectfully submitted.

The sanitary standard of past years has been maintained, there being no epidemic diseases. This year's daily average was the highest in the institution's history. Notwithstanding this and the debilitated condition of many of our inmates when received, our number of deaths was low. It was necessary to remove several of our patients to Pittsburgh hospitals for surgical treatment.

During the year we administered several hundred injections of neosalvarsan. Many of the inmates expressed their gratitude and appreciation. There is now less reluctance about accepting this treatment than when we first instituted it.

The need of our proposed new hospital has been shown many times over this year. It is certainly to be desired that it be early started and rapidly completed.

The unsanitary and dangerous common drinking cup is still in use in the various shops. This should be abolished at once.

Many times the light in the Carpet Factory is so poor the men can scarcely see. This is especially true during the early hours of the Winter days. To overcome this the lights already installed could be connected. Ample provision for ventilation has been made.

The following statistics are submitted as part of my report:—

DISPENSARY CALLS

January	1,245
February	1,092
March	1,274
April	1,092
May	1,036
June	808
July	748
August	334

September	604
October	893
November	685
December	968
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	10,779

The above calls were for the following conditions:—

Anarexia	4	Hepatic Congestion	1
Arthritis	22	Indigestion	705
Asthma	7	Lumbago	13
Alcoholism	19	Malaria	14
Acne	28	Myalgia	78
Adenitis	5	Menorrhagia	1
Backache	542	Neuralgia	281
Bronchitis	839	Neuritis	17
Cold	2,726	Nephritis	1
Constipation	2,640	Nervous	1
Conjunctivitis	11	Orchitis	4
Cystitis	61	Otitis	2
Cholecystitis	1	Pleurodynia	55
Debility	1	Palpitation of heart	12
Diarrhoea	124	Pharyngitis	8
Diphtheria	1	Rheumatism	300
Epilepsy	4	Surgical cases	585
Eczema	47	Tonsilitis	271
Earache	13	Torticollis	24
Gastric ulcer	1	Toothache	86
Gastritis	92	Tinea pubes	69
Gonorrhoea	90	Tachycardia	1
Grippe	19	Vertigo	42
Headache	852	Valvular heart lesions	3
Hemorrhoids	53	Varicella	1
Herpes	2		

SUMMARY OF HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Number of patients in hospital January 1st, 1925.....	12
Number admitted during the year.....	98 110
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Number discharged during the year.....	93
Number died during the year #	6
Remaining in hospital January 1st, 1926	11 110
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#-Not included three who died in their cells, making a total of nine deaths during the year.

The diseases for which patients were admitted to the hospital are as follows:—

Pulmonary tuberculosis	26	Neuritis	1
Rheumatism	12	Valvular heart disease	6
Bronco Pneumonia	5	Pleurisy	1
Acute alcoholism	3	Osteo Myelitis	1
Undetermined	4	Infected knee	2
Epilepsy	1	Intestinal obstruction	3
Bronchitis	4	Fractured maxillary	1
Mental	2	Contusions	2
Acute Nephritis	1	Rectal fistula	1
Cardio Vascular	1	Sprains	1
Debility	4	Suppurating orchitis	1
Gonorrhreal Rheumatism	1	Scalds	1
Assistants and nurses	3	Amputating fingers	1
Acute indigestion	2	Suppurating edenitis	1
Lumbago	1	Mastoiditis	2
Myelitis	1	Infected lower mandible	1

The causes of the deaths as determined by the Coroner's jury were as follows:—

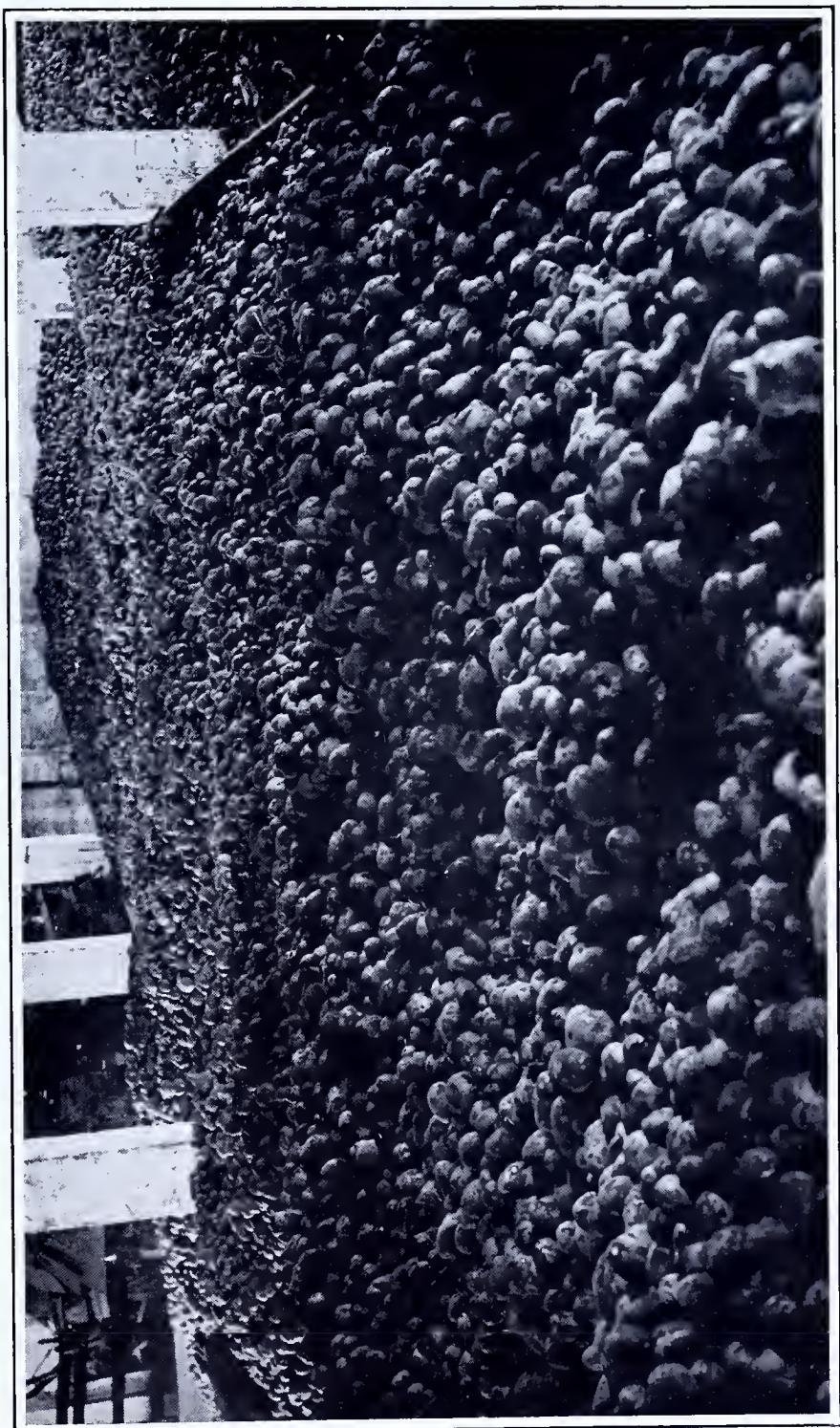
Intestinal obstruction	1
Pulmonary tuberculosis	3
Acute Nephritis	1
Epilepsy	1
Acute Myelitis	1
Valvular heart disease	1
Broncho pneumonia	1

At this time I would express my appreciation of the consideration received from your Board, the Superintendent, and Officers.

Respectfully,

L. T. MITCHELL.

STORED POTATOES



FARM REPORT
1925

FARM REPORT

Blawnox, Pa., December 31, 1925

Mr. A. H. Leslie, Superintendent of the Allegheny County
Workhouse and Inebriate Asylum,

Dear Sir:—

I hereby submit to you the following report of the farm for the year ending December 31st, 1925.

The entire growing season was very dry but in the early fall we had excessive rainfall. Crops suffered on account of drouth, especially cabbage and potatoes, and on account of the other extreme in the fall we were unable to seed as much land to wheat as we had planned.

The acreage of the various crops and the yield per acre were as follows:

Potatoes	37 acres	.....	145 bu. to the acre
Early cabbage	$\frac{2}{3}$ acre	.....	16 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons to the acre
Late Cabbage	10 acres	.....	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons to the acre
Sweet corn	26 acres	.....	102 bu. to the acre
Field corn	49 acres	.....	72 bu. to the acre
Wheat	61 acres	.....	18 $\frac{1}{2}$ bu. to the acre
30 acres	Rye	.....	21 bu. to the acre
Oats	21 acres	.....	42 bu. to the acre
Alfalfa	41 acres	.....	1 7/10 tons to the acre
Cow Beets	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres	.....	18 tons to the acre
Navy beans	9 acres	.....	9 bu. to the acre
Hay	88 acres	.....	2 tons to the acre
Carrots	$\frac{1}{2}$ acres	.....	200 bu. to the acre

Potatoes have been a difficult crop for us to raise, but with improved seed, more spraying and better methods in general we have been able to improve our yield. The acreage yields of the past years are interesting in that light:

1919.....	62 bu. to the acre	1923.....	83 bu. to the acre
1920.....	65 bu. to the acre	1924.....	140 bu. to the acre
1921.....	99 bu. to the acre	1925.....	145 bu. to the acre
1922.....	100 bu. to the acre		

The past two years we have had individual acres to yield over 300 bu. to the acre.

The livestock on the farm December 31st, was as follows:

Brood sows	10	Heifers	28
Boars	3	Pullets	673
Hogs	27	Hens	443
Shotes	15	Ducks	22
Pigs	10	Bulls	2
Horses	18	Calves	8
Colts	6	Cockerals	65
Cows	22		

In the government accredited herd plan of tuberculin testing our herd of cows passed the tuberculin test this year for the sixth consecutive time without any re-actors. Hog cholera has also been eliminated from our herd of hogs by the use of the simultaneous treatment. We have had no hog cholera since we started treating the hogs with the double treatment seven years ago.

Forty-five acres were seeded to wheat this fall but we were unable to get any rye seeded.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL C. KINCAID,

Farm Mgr.

GENERAL STATISTICAL TABLES

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I

The number of prisoners received since the organization of
the workhouse, August 6, 1869, is..... 201,860

OF THE ABOVE THERE WERE

Discharged by expiration of sentence	178,493
Discharged by order of court.....	12,281
Discharged by commutation of time.....	7,029
Discharged by governor's pardon	195
Discharged by parole	1,874
Escaped without recapture.....	304
Died	481
Removed to hospital for insane.....	211
Removed to hospital for smallpox.....	7 200,875
Leaving in confinement December 31st, 1925, males.....	941
Leaving in confinement December 31st, 1925, females.....	44 985

CRIME OR OFFENSE

II

Abandoning an infant	8	Assault and battery and
Abducting a child.....	6	carrying concealed
Abortion	9	weapons
Abusing family	281	Attempt to commit felony
Accessory to burglary (after the fact)	4	Attempt to commit larceny
Accessory to murder (after the fact)	1	Attempt to commit robbery
Accessory to felony (after the fact)	3	Attempt to commit rape..
Accessory after the fact ..	2	Attempt to procure abortion
Adultery	478	Attempt to rescue.....
Adultery and Bastardy.....	2	Attempt to poison.....
Aiding prisoner to escape	10	Attempt to enter bldg
Appeal cases	15	Attempt to break jail.....
Arson	53	Attempt to kill.....
Affray	5	Attempt to false pretense
Assault	202	Attempt to sodomy and
Assault indecent	48	buggery
Assault felonious	191	Attempt to arson.....
Assault felonious and en- tering building	1	Attempt to blow up dwelling
Assault and pointing fire- arms	58	Accessory to Violation of parole.....
Assault and battery.....	2,771	Barratry
Assault and battery, ag- gravated	1,558	Bigamy
Assault and battery, fe- lonious	1,786	Bigamy and perjury.....
Assault and battery, intent to rape.....	276	Blasphemy
Assault and battery, intent to rob.....	77	Buggery
Assault and battery, intent to kill.....	73	Bigamy, perjury and adultery
Assault and battery, intent to maim.....	4	Burglary
Assault and Battery, intent to sodomy.....	1	Being a professional thief
Assault and larceny.....	13	Being a burglar.....
Assault and obstructing officer.....	19	Being a tramp
		Being a common pros- titute
		Being a nuisance.....
		Being a gambler
		Being a scold
		Breaking and entering a building

CRIME OR OFFENSE—Continued

Breaking and entering a R. R. car.....	15	Defrauding U. S. govern- ment	2
Breaking prison	56	Desertion	42
Bribery	2	Desertion and non- support	34
Blackmail	5	Embezzlement	379
Carrying concealed weapons	1,162	Escape	152
Compounding crime	2	Extortion	27
Conspiracy	170	Enticing female child	24
Concealing death of child	5	Exhibiting obscene matter	1
Corrupting a record	3	Employing lady waiters....	1
Counterfeiting	17	Entering building, larceny and receiving stolen goods.....	602
Counterfeiting bank checks	5	Entering building to com- mit felony	796
Cruelty to wife.....	33	Entering R.R. car to com- mit felony	168
Cruelty to children.....	190	Extortion and blackmail..	1
Cruelty to animals	42	Escape and adultery.....	2
Cruelty and neglect	81	Felony	7
Cutting timber trees.....	1	False pretense	569
Carrying C. W., larceny and robbery	3	False pretense and larceny	10
Disorderly conduct	59,685	Forgery	312
Disorderly conduct and surety of peace	71	Forgery and larceny.....	1
Disorderly conduct and resisting officer	20	Forgery and embezze- ment	3
Disorderly conduct and being escaped prisoner	1	Forgery and extortion.....	2
Disorderly and C. C. W....	4	Fornication	26
Disorderly conduct and vagrancy	117	Fornication and adultery	20
Disorderly conduct and beating wife	1	Fornication and bastardy	32
Drunkenness	12,557	Fast driving	15
Drunkenness and disorderly conduct	4,001	Fraud	5
Drunkenness and suspicious person	68	Fortune telling	5
Drunkenness and vagrancy	484	Felonious shooting and cutting	39
Drunkenness and lewdness	15	Fraudulently secreting property	3
Drunkenness, D. C. and vagrancy	9	Fraudulently destroying will	1
Disturbing meetings	26	Fraudulently voting	3
Defrauding boarding housekeeper	35	Fraudulently making and uttering writ	67
		Furnishing liquor un- lawfully	20

CRIME OR OFFENSE—Continued

Fraudulently making and uttering usurious instrument	Lascivious behavior	2
Fugitive from justice.....	Maintaining a common nuisance	2
Gambling	Malicious mischief	315
Horse stealing	Malicious mischief and casting stones	19
Habitual drunkard	Mayhem	33
Inebriate	Manslaughter	109
Incestuous fornication	Murder	43
Interfering with officer.....	Misdemeanor	588
Indecent exposure	Misdemeanor and bribery	2
Incorrigeability	Misdemeanor and perjury	1
Intent to burglary.....	Misdemeanor and adultery	1
Indecency	Malicious cutting	1
Involuntary manslaughter	Making obscene pictures	1
Keeping bawdy house	Neglecting family	39
Keeping disorderly house	Negligence	1
Keeping gambling house..	Non-support	1,001
Keeping gambling and disorderly house	Operating Car while intoxicated	5
Keeping opium joint	Obscenity	8
Larceny from person and robbery	Perjury	67
Larceny, Petty	Pointing firearms	257
Larceny	Personating an officer.....	64
Larceny from person	Prize fighting	2
Larceny by bailee.....	Purchasing scrap from minor	1
Larceny and receiving stolen goods	Prostituting children	4
Larceny and felony.....	Pandering	39
Larceny and embezzlement	Professional thief	3
Larceny and burglary	Rape	165
Larceny and adultery.....	Rape, felonious	112
Larceny and being escaped prisoner	Rape and bastardy.....	3
Larceny and suspicious person	Robbery	348
Larceny and escape and assault	Robbery and receiving stolen goods	315
Larceny and breaking prison	Robbery, highway	1
Larceny and carrying concealed weapons	Receiving stolen goods	587
Loitering	Riot	197
Libel	Riot and malicious.....	20
Lewdness	Riot and assault and battery	69
	Resisting an officer	16
	Refusing to aid officer.....	6
	Rescuing prisoners	8
	Rape and adultery	7

CRIME OR OFFENSE--Continued

Reckless driving.....	4	Unlawful wounding	452
Suspicious person	36,704	Unlawful assembling	9
Possessing, selling and manufacturing liquor unlawfully	4,151	Vagrancy	42,032
Selling lottery tickets	37	Vagrancy and suspicious person	175
Selling diseased meat.....	2	Vagrancy and being a professional thief	16
Selling contraband in prison	1	Vagrancy and malicious trespass	4
Seduction	46	Vagrancy and assault and battery	2
Sodomy	60	Vagrancy and larceny	4
Sodomy and bastardy	8	Violation city or borough ordinance	2,226
Sodomy and buggery.....	65	Violation of public peace	15
Sending threatening letters	7	Violation of public health	8
Surety of the peace	6	Violation of sepulchre.....	1
Street walking	443	Visiting disorderly house	2,582
Shooting to kill	10	Visiting gambling house	88
Shooting to maim	4	Visiting bawdy house	20
Soliciting persons to com- mit sodomy	2	Violation of parole.....	25
Soliciting person to com- mit felony	16	Voluntary manslaughter	23
Selling cocaine	17	Violation of auto law.....	59
Selling obscene books.....	1	Violating drug act	25
Trespass	231	Violating quarantine	9
Train jumping	18	Violation of check laws	1
Threatening to kill.....	1	Watch stuffing	1
		Wife beating	35
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			201,860

III

SENTENCES FOR WHICH COMMITTED

12 hours	2	116 days	1
1 day	26	118 days	67
3 days	5	120 days	3
5 days	47	125 days	1
6 days	1	134 days	13
10 days	341	149 days	1
11 days	2	177 days	1
12 days	1	180 days	100
14 days	1	190 days	1
15 days	62	209 days	3
17 days	1	214 days	3
18 days	2	238 days	1
20 days	1,165	240 days	1
21 days	2	241 days	1
22 days	1	242 days	1
25 days	8	300 days	2
30 days	118,939	400 days	3
31 days	2	470 days	1
34 days	1	1 month	133
35 days	1	2 months	643
39 days	1	2 months 11 days.....	1
40 days	188	2 months 30 days.....	1
41 days	1	3 months	4,434
42 days	1	3 months 5 days.....	1
43 days	3	3 months 10 days.....	4
44 days	1	3 months 15 days.....	2
45 days	32	3 months 20 days.....	89
46 days	1	3 months 26 days.....	1
50 days	11	3 months 30 days.....	49
60 days	26,226	3 months 40 days.....	29
63 days	3	3 months 60 days.....	16
65 days	13	3 months 90 days.....	4
68 days	3	3 months 100 days.....	1
70 days	10	3 months 120 days.....	2
73 days	2	4 months	3,890
75 days	8	4 months 10 days	2
80 days	5	4 months 13 days	1
82 days	1	4 months 15 days	6
84 days	2	4 months 20 days	5
86 days	1	4 months 25 days	1
90 days	20,326	4 months 27 days	2
92 days	1	4 months 30 days	12
93 days	4	4 months 60 days	9
100 days	5	4 months 120 days	1
110 days	2	5 months	930

SENTENCES FOR WHICH COMMITTED—Continued

5 months 1 day	1	11 months 20 days	10
5 months 5 days	2	11 months 25 days	17
5 months 16 days	1	11 months 27 days	1
5 months 20 days	4	11 months 29 days	61
5 months 27 days	2	11 months 30 days	1
5 months 30 days	5	12 months	8
5 months 29 days	3	1 year	4,599
5 months 60 days	1	1 year 5 days	2
5 months 135 days	1	1 year 20 days	1
6 months	9,225	1 year 30 days	9
6 months 3 days	1	1 year 40 days	1
6 months 10 days	1	1 year 60 days	3
6 months 15 days	4	1 year 90 days	5
6 months 20 days	7	1 year 150 days	2
6 months 21 days	1	1 year 3 months	2
6 months 25 days	1	1 year 2 months 3 days	1
6 months 30 days	4	1 year 2 months 26 days	1
6 months 40 days	4	1 year 3 months 2 days	1
6 months 60 days	2	1 year 4 months	2
6 months 84 days	1	1 year 4 months 50 days	1
6 months 90 days	3	1 year 6 months 5 days	15
6 months 111 days	1	1 year 6 months 30 days	1
6 months 120 days	1	1 year 7 months 1 day	1
7 months	343	1 year 8 months 9 days	1
7 months 10 days	1	1 year 11 months 17 days	1
7 months 15 days	1	13 months	41
7 months 20 days	3	14 months	84
8 months	985	15 months	507
8 months 5 days	2	15 months 30 days	1
8 months 27 days	2	15 months 60 days	1
8 months 60 days	1	16 months	82
8 months 180 days	1	17 months	12
9 months	1,674	18 months	1,294
9 months 10 days	4	18 months 10 days	3
9 months 20 days	2	18 months 30 days	2
9 months 30 days	1	19 months	14
9 months 50 days	1	20 months	66
9 months 90 days	1	20 months 14 days	1
10 months	644	21 months	54
10 months 10 days	1	21 months 20 days	1
10 months 15 days	3	22 months	17
10 months 19 days	2	22 months 13 days	1
10 months 20 days	1	23 months	3
10 months 60 days	2	27 months	1
11 months	151	2 years	1,276
11 months 15 days	15	2 years 60 days	2

SENTENCES FOR WHICH COMMITTED—Continued

2 years 1 month.....	1	3 months to 6 months...	108
2 years 1 month 27 days	1	3 mos. 45 days-6 mos...	1
2 years 2 months.....	9	3 months to 1 year	2
2 years 3 months.....	26	4 months to 6 months	2
2 years 4 months.....	21	4 months to 8 months	56
2 years 4 months 10 days	1	5 months to 10 months	23
2 years 5 months.....	4	6 months to 12 months	24
2 years 5 months 17 days	1	6 months to 1 year	158
2 years 6 months.....	142	6 months to 18 months	3
2 years 7 months.....	1	7 months to 14 months	2
2 years 8 months.....	3	8 months to 16 months	8
2 years 9 months.....	6	8 months to 18 months	1
2 years 9 months 10 days	1	8 months to 2 years.....	1
2 years 10 months.....	2	9 months to 18 months	58
2 years 11 months.....	1	10 months to 20 months	9
3 years	264	11 months to 22 months	2
3 years 4 months.....	1	11 months to 2 years	1
3 years 60 days	1	12 months to 24 months	9
3 years 1 month.....	1	13 months to 24 months	1
3 years 2 months.....	1	15 months to 30 months	2
3 years 3 months.....	3	16 months to 32 months	2
3 years 3 months 16 days	1	18 months to 3 years.....	71
3 years 5 months 3 days.	1	18 months to 36 months	15
3 years 6 months.....	20	20 months to 4 years.....	1
3 years 9 months.....	1	23 months to 46 months	1
4 years	59	1 year to 2 years.....	152
4 years 2 months.....	2	1 year to 3 years.....	4
4 years 6 months.....	1	1 year to 5 years.....	1
5 years	29	1 yr. 5 mos. to 3 yrs....	1
5 years 6 months.....	1	1 yr. 6 mos. to 3 yrs....	3
6 years	11	1 year 6 months to	
6 years 6 months.....	1	2 years 8 months.....	1
7 years	7	2 years to 3 years.....	7
7 years 9 months 14 days	1	2 years to 4 years.....	74
8 years	1	2 years 1 month to	
10 years	1	4 years 2 months.....	1
Indeterminate	1,043	2 yrs. 9 mos. 28 dys.-3	
10 days to 20 days.....	1	yrs. 9 mos. 28 dys.....	1
20 days to 40 days.....	1	2½ years to 3 years.....	1
30 days to 60 days.....	6	2½ years to 5 years.....	18
30 days to 6 months.....	1	3 years to 6 years	30
40 days to 3 months.....	1	3 years to 7 years.....	1
60 days to 120 days.....	7	4 years to 8 years.....	4
90 days to 180 days.....	2	5 years to 6 years	1
6 weeks to 3 months.....	1	5 years to 10 years.....	1
1 month to 2 months.....	6	6 years to 12 years.....	2
1½ months to 3 months..	1	8 years to 16 years.....	2
2 months to 4 months...	32	9½ years to 10 years...	1
2 months to 1 year	1	10 years to 20 years.....	1

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IV

OF THE 201,860 RECEIVED THERE WERE COMMITTED FOR

The first time	111,425	The twenty-seventh time..	154
The second time	33,205	The twenty-eighth time .	154
The third time	15,659	The twenty-ninth time ...	137
The fourth time	9,336	The thirtieth time	137
The fifth time	6,216	The thirty-first time.....	127
The sixth time	4,832	The thirty-second time ...	106
The seventh time	3,680	The thirty-third time.....	95
The eighth time	2,648	The thirty-fourth time....	88
The ninth time	1,952	The thirty-fifth time.....	85
The tenth time	1,945	The thirty-sixth time.....	72
The eleventh time	1,168	The thirty-seventh time .	72
The twelfth time	1,163	The thirty-eighth time ...	71
The thirteenth time	813	The thirty-ninth time	67
The fourteenth time	812	The fortieth time	67
The fifteenth time	810	The forty-first time	61
The sixteenth time	584	The forty-second time....	51
The seventeenth time ..	476	The forty-third time.....	48
The eighteenth time	470	The forty-fourth time	45
The nineteenth time	436	The forty-fifth time	39
The twentieth time	427	The forty-sixth time.....	38
The twenty-first time ..	316	The forty-seventh time...	32
The twenty-second time.	262	The forty-eighth time	30
The twenty-third time.....	244	The forty-ninth time	28
The twenty-fourth time...	237	The fiftieth time and over	509
The twenty-fifth time	236		
The twenty-sixth time.....	195		
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V

NATIVITY

United States	133,479	Brazil	15
Ireland	22,268	Isle of Man	8
Germany	8,963	Isle of Malta	6
England	7,493	New Newfoundland	4
Austria	8,862	Portugal	12
Italy	4,068	India	7
Scotland	2,467	Japan	4
Russia	3,250	Argentine	12
Wales	1,718	Serbia	190
Poland	2,371	Egypt	10
Hungary	1,627	Chile	3
Canada	1,264	Finland	86
France	612	Armenia	14
Switzerland	491	U. S. of Columbia	1
Sweden	587	Bulgaria	41
Greece	320	Algeria	6
Holland	85	Philippine Island	1
Denmark	100	Unknown	45
West Indies	141	Syria	32
Ocean	64	Porto Rico	12
Belgium	66	Jerusalem	1
Australia	64	Albania	6
Norway	79	Cuba	19
Rumania	150	Croatia	38
Central America	36	Jamaica	4
East Indies	42	Zecho-Slovakia	36
Spain	71	Lithuania	24
China	36	Uruguay	1
Mexico	323	Hawaii	1
Turkey	66	Ukrania	1
Africa	29	Jugo-Slavia	3
Arabia	23	South Sea Islands	2

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VI

AGE WHEN COMMITTED

Under 20 years of age.....	14,528
From 20 to 30 years of age.....	75,817
From 30 to 40 years of age.....	57,192
From 40 to 50 years of age.....	34,383
From 50 to 60 years of age.....	15,215
60 years and over.....	4,725
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VII

EDUCATION

Read and write	155,627
Read or write.....	17,578
Neither read nor write	28,655
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	201,860

VIII

SOCIAL RELATIONS

Single	121,395
Married	66,747
Widower	8,692
Widow	5,026
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	201,860

IX

OF THE 28660 WHO COULD NOT READ OR WRITE WERE NATIVES OF

United States	12,451
Ireland	4,504
Austria	3,755
Italy	1,874
Russia	1,608
England	888
Poland	1,059
Germany	542
Hungary	556
Wales	462
Scotland	161
France	92
Canada	93
Greece	105
Switzerland	25
Holland	23
Arabia	20
Belgium	19
Rumania	50
Sweden	16
Turkey	17
West Indies	31
East Indies	9
China	9
Australia	4
Ocean	2
Spain	8
Central America	2
Mexico	100
U. S. of Columbia	1
Serbia	80
Portugal	4
Unknown	12
Bulgaria	5
Finland	5
Assyria	15
Syria	7
Porto Rico	5
Jerusalem	1
Albania	4
Cuba	3
Croatia	10
Africa	2
Zecho-Slovakia	6
Lithuania	14
Armenia	1
	28,660

X

HABITS OF LIFE

Abstinent	22,018
Moderate drinker	57,924
Occasionally intemperate	87,853
Intemperate	34,025
Drug addict	40

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XI

COLOR

White males	144,678
Colored males	33,461
White females	19,158
Colored females	4,563

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XII

TOTAL NUMBER OF PRISONERS RECEIVED SINCE THE ORGANIZATION OF THE WORKHOUSE AND FROM WHAT LOCALITIES

Received from August 6th, 1869 to December 31st, 1924:

From Pittsburgh	157,761
From in Allegheny county	25,690
From other counties.....	14,605
	198,056

Received during 1925:

From Pittsburgh	1,996
From in Allegheny county.....	1,114
From other counties.....	694
	3,804

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XIII

NUMBER OF DEATHS SINCE THE ORGANIZATION

OF THE WORKHOUSE

Tuberculosis	96	Gastritis	1
Pneumonia	83	Opium eating	1
Debility	28	Inflammation of bowels.....	1
Heart disease	39	Vegetable poisoning	1
Delirium tremens	22	Operation on neck.....	1
Typhoid fever	23	Intussusception of bowels.....	1
Chronic alcoholism	18	Endocarditis	3
Suicide	16	Bright's disease	1
Epilepsy	10	Chronic bronchitis	2
Dropsy	8	Catarrhal enteritis	1
Asthma	9	Exhaustion from morphine....	2
Phthisis	7	Cellulitis	1
Apoplexy	10	Meningitis	2
Small pox	6	Anemia	1
Hemorrhage	7	Choloyitis	2
Accident	5	Poisoning	1
Peritonitis	4	Aortis aneuryam	1
Nephritis	6	Cancer	1
Syphilis	6	Carcinoma of stomach	2
Congestion of brain	2	Leukimia	1
Fracture of skull	3	Cirrhosis of liver	2
Convulsions	2	Arteriosclerosis	1
Cholera morbus	2	Acute indigestion	1
Scarlet fever	1	Influenza	1
Cerebro spinal meningitis	1	Pulmonary tuberculosis	13
Erysipelas	2	Lobar pneumonia	3
Tetanus	2	Dilated heart	2
Emphysema	1	Drowned	1
Ovarian tumor	1	Hemopericardium	1
Chronic diarrhea and		Chronic myocarditis	2
Ulceration of bowels	1	Tubercular meningitis	1
Hemoptysis	1	Acute MyelitisPosterior.....	1
Intestinal Obstruction	1	Bronchial Pneumonia	1
Diabetes	1		

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